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BIRTHS.

On the 25th October, at Macquarie-street, Parramatta, the wife of Wm. Dalmas, of a daughter.

On the 26th October last, at her residence, Alloa Villa, Park Road, Mrs. Richard Seymour, of a daughter.

On the 3rd instant, at her residence, 261, Palmer-street, Woolloomooloo, the wife of Alfred James Loder, coachsmith, of a son.

On the 5th instant, at her residence, Mount Caplacre, Eastern Creek, Mrs. Linus Perrins, of a daughter.

On the 6th instant, at 18, Wexford-street, Mrs. Mark Isaacs, of a daughter. Both doing well.

On the 7th instant, at her residence, Raglan-street, Waterloo, Mrs. James Ward, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

On the 14th October, at Walgett, by M. M'Taggart, P.M., Registrar, George, second son of Emanuel Harrodine, of Cambridgeshire, England, to Susan, eldest daughter of the late George Wilson, of O'Connell-street, Newtown.

On the 29th October, at the residence of the bride, Clarendon, Hill-street, by the Rev. A. B. Davis, assisted by the Rev. A. A. Levi, Nathaniel, fourth son of Aaron Cohen, Esq., of Judd-street, London, W.C., to Sara Rebecca, eldest daughter of the late Aaron Isaacs, Esq., of Sydney.

On the 1st instant, at Victoria Cottage, Crown-street, Surry Hills, Sydney, by license, by the Rev. E. C. Pritchard, Mr. J. Weaver, of New Lambton, Newcastle, to Mrs. Murphy, of Botany-street, Sydney.

On the 1st instant, at All Saints Church, Petersham, by the Rev. H. A. Palmer, Alfred James, second son of Francis Webb Fraser, of London, to Esther, daughter of George Cavanough, of Cole, New South Wales.

On the 6th instant, at the Scots' Church, Sydney, by the Rev. Dr. Lang, Mr. James Russell, ironworker, Balmain, a native of Edinburgh, Scotland, to Mrs. Susanna Bragg, of Sussex-street, Sydney, a native of London.

DEATHS.

On the 31st October, in the 26th year of his age, at Billyrimbong Gold-fields, Curragong, of apoplexy, William Walley, commercial traveller, second son of the late Henry Walley, of Clerkenwell, London and stepson of Thos. F. Gibbons, of Victoria-street, Darlinghurst, much respected.

On the 4th instant, at his late residence, Victoria-street, Ultimo, John Todd, in the 44th year of his age, leaving an affectionate wife and large family to mourn their loss, and deeply regretted by a large circle of friends.

On the 5th instant, at her residence, Camden, New South Wales, Annie, the beloved wife of the Rev. J. S. Dobson, Primitive Methodist minister, aged 37 years.

On the 6th instant, the beloved infant daughter of Edward and Elizabeth Barth, of Botany, aged 14 months.

On the 7th instant, at the Parsonage, Hunter's Hill, Rev. Charles Archdall, jun., incumbent, aged 30 years.

SHIPPING.

OVERLAND ROUTE TO ENGLAND.
The PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship
BANGALORE,
2063 tons, 500 horse-power,
G. C. Burne, commander,
WILL BE DISPATCHED FOR GALLE
with her Majesty's mails, passengers, specie, and cargo, on TUESDAY, the 2nd December, 1873, at 11 a.m., touching at
MELBOURNE and KING GEORGE'S SOUND.
Cargo will be received until 1 p.m. on the 29th November, and specie and parcels until 10 a.m. on the 1st December.
For particulars regarding freight and passage, with information on all subjects connected with the PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S LINES, apply to
HENRY MOORE, Agent.
Moore's Wharf, Sydney, 4th November, 1873.

OVERLAND ROUTE TO EUROPE, via SAN FRANCISCO AND NEW YORK.
CALIFORNIAN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP CO.
Under contract with the New South Wales and New Zealand Governments for the conveyance of her Majesty's Mails.
The S. S. Ship MACGREGOR, 2600 tons, the first of the chartered vessels for the temporary service, will leave this port for SAN FRANCISCO (calling at KANDAVU and HONOLULU), on SATURDAY, the 20th December next, at 12 o'clock noon.
For freight and passage apply at the office, Grafton Wharf.
H. H. HALL, Managing Director.

THE EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN MAIL STEAM COMPANY (Limited).
TORRES STRAITS LINE OF MAIL STEAMERS TO AND FROM SINGAPORE AND SYDNEY.
As advice has been received of the departure from LONDON of the SUN FOO (first steamer to be placed on the above route), it is expected that her departure from SYDNEY, for QUEENSLAND, BATAVIA, and SINGAPORE, will take place about the third or fourth week in December, of which due notice will shortly be given.
The ports of call will be BRISBANE, GLADSTONE, BOWEN, CARDWELL, SOMERSET, SOURABAYA, BATAVIA, and SINGAPORE, to any of which passengers, &c., can be booked, and arrangements are being made for the issue of through tickets to CHINA and the EAST generally.
SCOTT, HENDERSON, and CO.,
Agents for Sydney.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS.
TO MELBOURNE.—Wentworth, Wednesday afternoon, at 4.30. FARES: Saloon, at current rates; steerage, £2.
TO AUCKLAND.—Wentworth, on or about Saturday, 22nd instant.
TO NEWCASTLE, RAYMOND TERRACE, and MORPETH.—Collaroy, Monday morning, at 6; and Coonanbara, Tuesday night, at 11.
TO BRISBANE.—Florence Irving, this day, Saturday, at noon; and City of Brisbane, Tuesday afternoon, at 5.
TO MARYBOROUGH, via BRISBANE.—Florence Irving, this day, Saturday, at noon.
TO ROCKHAMPTON, via BRISBANE and MARYBOROUGH.—Florence Irving, this day, Saturday, at noon.
TO CLEVELAND BAY, via PORT DENISON.—Wonga Wonga early.
Cargo is now being received for transmission to any of the above ports.
SHIPPERS are requested to complete their shipments to Melbourne and Queensland BEFORE 3 O'CLOCK on day of sailing.
FREDK. H. TROUTON, Manager.
A. S. N. Co.'s Wharf, Sussex-street.

THE C. AND R. R. S. N. CO.'S STEAMSHIPS.
To GRAFTON, via NEWCASTLE.—The swift and powerful paddle steamship AGNES IRVING, every TUESDAY, at 9 p.m.
Leaving Grafton every SATURDAY, at 8 a.m., weather permitting.
To TAREE, MANNING RIVER direct.—The DIAMANTINA, TUESDAY, at noon.
Passengers to these districts are invited to inspect the very superior accommodation of this Company's boats.
WM. WILLIAMS, Secretary.
Sussex-street.

HUNTER RIVER N. S. N. CO.—STEAM TO NEWCASTLE, MORPETH, &c.
THIS (Saturday) NIGHT, at 11, the MAITLAND.
On MONDAY NIGHT, at 11, the MORPETH.
F. J. THOMAS, Manager.
Offices—foot of Market-street.

THE CLARENCE AND NEW ENGLAND STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS, from Commercial Wharf, foot of King-street.
For GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER, via NEWCASTLE.—The HELEN MACGREGOR, on TUESDAY NIGHT, at 9 o'clock.
For RICHMOND RIVER, via NEWCASTLE.—The SUSANNAH CUTHBERT, on WEDNESDAY NIGHT, at 9 o'clock.
Cargo is now being received.
P. S. BUYERS, pro Manager.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE.
The MELBOURNE STEAMSHIP COMPANY will dispatch the steamship
DANDENONG,
on THURSDAY, 13th November,
at 4 p.m.
The SALOON IS AMIDSHIPS.
Steerage .... £2.
WM. HOWARD SMITH, Struth's Wharf.

STEAM TO NEWCASTLE.
The MELBOURNE STEAMSHIP COMPANY will dispatch the steamship
DANDENONG,
on MONDAY, 10th November,
at 6 o'clock p.m.,
and
MACEDON
on FRIDAY, 14th November,
at 6 o'clock p.m.
FARES:
Saloon .... 10s.
Steerage .... 5s.
WM. HOWARD SMITH, Struth's Wharf.

STEAM to HOBART TOWN, calling at EDEN, TWOFOLD BAY.—Steamship CITY of HOBART, from Grafton Wharf, TUESDAY, 18th instant, at 10 a.m. Saloon, £6 6s.; return (available four months), £10 10s. Steerage, £3 10s.
WILLIS, LLOYD, and CO.

ILLAWARRA S. N. CO.'S STEAMERS.—TO WOLLONGONG and KIAMA.—Monday, 11 p.m.
MERIMBULA, EDEN, TATHRA.—Wednesday, 9.15 a.m.
SHOALHAVEN, &c.—Tuesday, 11 p.m.
ULLADULLA and CLYDE.—Friday, 9.30 a.m.
MORUYA.—Friday, 9.30 a.m.

PARRAMATTA STEAMERS.—FIFTEEN MILES FOR ONE SHILLING; Return, Eighteenpence. FROM FOOT OF KING-STREET.
FOR PARRAMATTA—7, 9, 11, 1.15, 3, 5.
FOR HUNTER'S HILL—7, 9, 11, 1.15, 3, 5, 6.15, 9, 11.
From Parramatta—6.50, 9, 11 a.m.; 1, 3, 5 p.m.
From Hunter's Hill—8.15, 9, 10.15, 12.15, 2.15, 4.15, 6.15, 7.15, 10.
Hunter's Hill.—Fares at lowest reduced rates.
TO-MORROW.
For Parramatta—9.15, 2.15, 6.15.
From Parramatta—7 a.m., 12 noon, 4.30 p.m.
Calling at Balmain, Biloela, Hunter's Hill, Gladesville, Ryde, Ermington, Newington, Subiaco, Parramatta.

PARRAMATTA AND RIVER STEAMERS, from Foot of King-street.
MONDAY, 10th November.
EXCURSION TRIPS.
FIFTEEN MILES FOR ONE SHILLING.
Steamers EMU, ADELAIDE, and PELICAN, calling at Balmain, Biloela, Hunter's Hill, Gladesville, Ryde, Ermington, Newington.
From King-street:—Adelaide, 7 a.m.; Emu, 9; Adelaide, 11; Emu, 1 p.m.; Adelaide, 3; Emu, 5; Adelaide, 7; Pelican, 11.
From Parramatta:—6.50, 9, 11 a.m.; 1 p.m., 3, 5, 7.
Fares:—1st class, 1s 6d; return, 2s 6d; 2nd, 1s; return, 1s 6d. To Hunter's Hill:—1st class, 9d; return, 1s 2d; 2nd, 6d; return, 9d.
Picnic parties landed at Fern Bay Picnic Grounds, the use of which are given free. Omnibuses at Parramatta to convey excursionists to and from the steamers and the Park, fare 3d.

STEAMERS PELICAN and ADELAIDE, carrying over 500 passengers, for HIRE daily.
Steam YACHTS and LAUNCHES, carrying 80 to 100, for Hire, for private excursions, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., £3; whole day, £5. Saturdays, small coasting Steamers for HIRE from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., £5.
P. R. S. CO.

HUNTER'S HILL and LANE COVE FERRY.—Steamer WOMERAH leaves—
Lime-street Wharf, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5.5, 7
Lane Cove, 8, 10, 12, 2, 4, 6.
SATURDAY—Lime-street Wharf, 1.15 and 11.15 p.m.
Lane Cove, 10 p.m.
SUNDAY—Lime-street Wharf, 10, 2.30, 6.
Lane Cove, 9, 1, 5.

MOSSMAN'S FERRY.—Steamer leaves Mossman's Bay, at half-past 8, 10, 12, 2, 4, and at 6 p.m. Leaves Circular Wharf at a quarter-past 9, 11, 1, 3, 5 sharp.

MOSSMAN'S FERRY.
SUNDAY, November 9th.
Steamer leaves Circular Quay 9.15, 1.15, 3.15, 5.15.
Leaves Mossman's, 10, 2, 4, 6.
Leaves Circular Quay for Lavender Bay, 10.45.
Leaves Lavender Bay for Circular Quay, at 1.

FORTIFICATIONS and Military Road, George's Head and Middle Head, Chowder Bay.—STEAMER on SUNDAY, leaves Queen's Wharf 10.15, 2.30; Woolloomooloo 10.30, 2.45; Chowder 12 and 5; return, 1s.

STEAM TO MANLY BEACH, THIS DAY.—Steamers GOOLWA, BREADALBANE, and PHANTOM, from Queen's Wharf, 7.15, 10.15, 1.30, 2.30, 4.30; Woolloomooloo, 10.30, 2.45; Manly Beach, 8.15, 9.30, 12, 3.30, 5, 5.15.
Fare—Return ticket, 1s 6d; children, 1s.
TO-MORROW, Sunday—Queen's Wharf, 10.15, 2.30; Woolloomooloo, 10.30, 2.45; Manly Beach, 12, 5. Fare: Return ticket, 1s.
THOMAS HESELTON.
N.B.—No freight taken after 10.15 on SATURDAYS.

WATSON'S BAY STEAMER.—On SUNDAY, the HERALD leaves Queen's Wharf, 10.30, 2.30; Watson's Bay, 12 and 5.
Return ticket, 1s.

REDUCED FARES TO QUEENSLAND.
The paddle steamer KEMBLA,
424 tons, 165-horse power,
H. Page, commander,
sails from the Grafton Wharf, on WEDNESDAY, the 12th instant, at noon, for
BRISBANE
and
MARYBOROUGH.
The KEMBLA is the most comfortable and the fastest boat on the coast. Her passages average 8 to 12 hours less time than any other steamer.
JOSEPH WARD and CO., 237, George-street.
D. LITTLE, 82, Margaret-street.

STEAM TO MANAKAU, AND ALL THE SOUTHERN PORTS OF NEW ZEALAND.
The favourite steamship PHŒBE, 800 tons, Henry Worsp, commander, will be dispatched from the GRAFTON WHARF, THIS MORNING, at 10 O'CLOCK SHARP.
For passage only apply to
WILLIAM LAIDLEY and CO.,
Agents, Lloyd's-chambers.

STEAM TO NEW ZEALAND.
Messrs. M'Meckan, Blackwood, and Co.'s line of steamers will be dispatched from MELBOURNE as follows:—
TARARUA, 13th November, via Hokitika
ALBION, via BLUFF, immediately on arrival of English mail, on or about 18th November.
Through tickets to and from all New Zealand ports issued by the undersigned.
For rates of passage, freight, and any information, apply to JOSEPH WARD and CO., Agents, 237, George-street.

STEAM TO ENGLAND UNDER 60 DAYS
Notice to Passengers.—Messrs. Money Wigram and Sons' magnificent new clipper steamship
NORTHUMBERLAND,
2180 tons register, 500-horse power, H. H. SKINNER, Commander, will be dispatched from Melbourne for London, on or about
FRIDAY, 12th December,
carrying saloon, second and third class, and steerage passengers.
FARES.—
Saloon (ship finding beds, bedding, linen, and every requisite for the voyage) .... £55 to £70
Second Class .... £27 to £30
Third Class .... £18 to £20
Steerage £16
A liberal Allowance made to families.
M. METCALFE and CO.,
9, Bridge-street.

ABERDEEN CLIPPER LINE.—For LONDON.—NOTICE TO PASSENGERS.—The following first-class vessels, making an average passage of 80 days, will be dispatched on or about the following dates:—

	Tons.	Commander.	
CENTURION	965	Taylor	Nov.
ETHIOPIAN	839	Faulkner	Nov.
CHRISTIANA THOMPSON	1074	Murray	Dec.

To be followed by other first-class vessels.
The dietary arrangements are superior, and each vessel carries an experienced surgeon.
Apply to MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO., O'Connell-street.

TO PASSENGERS FOR LONDON.
The undermentioned first-class passenger ships will be dispatched by the undersigned in the following order, during the ensuing season:—

	Tons.	Commander.	To sail.
BENMORE	1460	Johnson	Nov.
SIR JOHN LAWRENCE	879	Fernie	Nov.
BEN LOMOND	986	Moir	Dec.

For plans of cabins, rates of passage, and all other information, apply to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.

FOR LONDON.—
The magnificent A1 Aberdeen clipper
ABERGELDIE,
1152 tons register, W. Robertson, commander, will have quick dispatch.
For freight, apply to Captain ROBERTSON, on board, at Circular Quay; or to
JOHN FRAZER and CO.

FOR LONDON.
The SIR JOHN LAWRENCE,
is now receiving wool, and will have prompt dispatch.
Has superior accommodation for saloon passengers.
Apply on board to Captain FERNIE; or to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.
Wool received at Flood's.

FOR LONDON.—To follow the Border Chief.—The A1 Aberdeen clipper ship STRATHNAVER, 1017 tons, Joseph Davey, commander, is now ready to receive dead weight, and will have quick dispatch.
This fine ship has superior accommodation for saloon passengers.
For terms, &c., apply to Captain, on board; or to
DANGAR, GEDYE, and CO.

FOR LONDON DIRECT.
The fine French clipper ship
BOSSUET,
804 tons register, A 1 at Registre Maritime,
E. Canneva, commander,
has a considerable portion of her cargo engaged, and will have quick dispatch. Wool received at Talbot's Stores, and other goods on board, at Company's Cosmopolitan Wharf. For all particulars apply to MONTEFIORE and MONTEFIORE, 5, Gresham-street; or to FREDERICK EBSWORTH, Exchange-corner.

FOR LONDON.
The splendid A1 clipper ship
ST. KILDA,
865 tons register,
has a considerable portion of her dead weight and wool engaged, and will have quick dispatch.
For rates of freight, &c., apply to
LORIMER, MARWOOD, and ROME.
Cargo received at Chester and Co.'s Cosmopolitan Wharf.

FOR LONDON.—
For Wool and Passengers only.
The magnificent clipper ship
CARISBROOKE CASTLE,
John Freebody, commander,
has a considerable portion of her wool on board, and will have quick dispatch.
For rates apply to the Captain on board; or to
YOUNG and LARK.
Wool received at Flood's Stores.

FOR LONDON.
The new A1 clipper ship
AIREY FORCE,
1130 tons register,
Captain John Sprott.
This fine iron ship has a large quantity of wool and dead weight engaged, and will be dispatched in December.
For freight or passage apply to CAPTAIN SPROTT, on board, or to
SMITH, BROTHERS, and CO.

ABERDEEN CLIPPER LINE.—FOR LONDON, the A1 Aberdeen clipper ship
ETHIOPIAN,
838 tons register, H. Faulkner, commander, will have quick dispatch.
For freight, apply to Captain FAULKNER; or to
MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.

FOR FEBRUARY SALES.
The A1 Aberdeen clipper ship
CENTURION,
965 tons, T. Taylor, commander.
The following are the trips of this vessel from London to Sydney, viz.:—1870—75 days; 1871—79; 1871—77; 1872—79; 1873—83. Her homeward passages have been made via China and New York.
For freight apply to Captain TAYLOR; or to
MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.

FOR LONDON.
To follow the SIR JOHN LAWRENCE.
The favourite regular trader
BEN LOMOND,
will be dispatched as above.
Has superior accommodation for saloon and intermediate passengers.
Apply on board to Captain MOIR, or to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.

FOR LONDON.—The magnificent iron clipper Ship BORDER CHIEF (100 A), 1011 tons, David Leslie, commander, having a quantity of her dead weight and wool engaged, will be dispatched early in December.
For terms of freight, &c., apply to the Captain, on board; or to
DANGAR, GEDYE, and CO.
WOOL received at Talbot's.

FOR LONDON.
The new A A 1 clipper ship
CATHCART,
1386 tons register,
C. Crawford, commander,
has the whole of her dead weight ready for shipment, and a large quantity of wool engaged; will sail not later than the 20th December.
Apply to Captain on board;
to MASON, BROTHERS, Agents;
or, to MOCATTA and CAMPBELL, Brokers,
No. 3, Gresham-street.
Wool received at Marsden's.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO DIRECT.
The A1 clipper ship VERMONT,
1700 tons burthen,
John Richardson, Esq., commander.
This vessel will sail for the ABOVE PORT, from Newcastle, on the 18th instant.
HAS SPLENDID ACCOMMODATION FOR PASSENGERS.
For rates and all particulars apply to
GEORGE R. DIBBS and CO., Agents,
131, Pitt-street.

FOR HONGKONG direct.—
The A1 clipper ship
FORWARD,
745 tons register,
Captain William Whyte.
This regular trader will be dispatched on the 20th November.
For light freight, cabin, or steerage passage, apply to SMITH, BROTHERS, and CO.

FOR NOUMEA, NEW CALEDONIA.
The fine clipper brig,
ELLEN MORRIS,
having a considerable portion of her cargo engaged, will meet with quick dispatch. For freight or passage apply to MONTEFIORE and MONTEFIORE, 5, Gresham-street.

FOR WELLINGTON Direct.
FOR LIGHT FREIGHT AND PASSENGERS.
The clipper ship WELLINGTON, 950 tons burthen, H. E. Hill, commander, will be dispatched from Newcastle for the above port, on or about the 14th instant. Has excellent accommodation for passengers.
For further particulars apply to
JOHN REID,
Scott-street, Newcastle.

CIRCULAR SAW LINE OF PACKETS.—FOR AUCKLAND.
The well-known clipper barque
CONSTANCE,
J. H. Gibbon, commander,
having a large portion of her cargo engaged, will meet with quick dispatch.
For freight or passage, apply on board at the Grafton Wharf; or to
WILLIAM LAIDLEY and CO.,
Agents,
Lloyd's-chambers.

FOR CLEVELAND BAY.—The regular trader BLANCHE, Captain Chambers, is now fast loading, and having a large portion of her cargo engaged, will meet with quick dispatch.
For freight or passage, apply on board, at the Patent Slip Wharf; or to
WILLIAM LAIDLEY and CO., Agents,
Lloyd's-chambers.

ONLY VESSEL for PORT MACKAY.—The clipper schooner PEVERIL will have quick dispatch.
For freight or passage, apply to
WILLIAM LAIDLEY and CO.,
Agents,
Lloyd's-chambers.

FOR ROCKINGHAM BAY.—The clipper schooner MARCHIONESS OF LORNE, Captain Mayer, will sail for the above port in a few days, via PORT MACQUARIE.
For freight or passage, apply to
WILLIAM LAIDLEY and CO., Agents,
Lloyd's-chambers.

ESTHER for the MANNING, at noon, THIS DAY, taking cargo to Wingham, Tinonee, Taree, and Cundletown. Apply on board, Baltic Wharf; or WM. COULTER, 145, Sussex-street.

FOR TUROSS RIVER (Nerrigundah and Bodalla).—The ketch JUNO, first fair wind, Victoria Wharf.

BELLINGER RIVER.—Confidence, This Evening, weather permit: freight, &c. Nicoll, Erskine-st.

CLARENCE AND RICHMOND RIVER STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.
REDUCTION OF FREIGHTS FROM SYDNEY TO MANNING RIVER.
From and after this date Freights will be as follows:—Dead weight, 15s; measurement, 20s per ton, for quantities of half a ton and over.
Special arrangements may be made with the undersigned for large parcels.
WM. WILLIAMS,
Secretary.
Sydney, November 1, 1873.

SHELLHARBOUR.—DAISY MAID, This Day, at noon, from Caledonian Wharf. S. NUTTER, Agent.

CAPTAIN IRVING of the steamer ANNIE will not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by his Crew without his written authority.
BEILBY and SCOTT, Agents.

TONNAGE wanted from SYDNEY or NEWCASTLE for
SHANGHAI
HONGKONG
MAURITIUS
NEGAPATAM
COCONADA
GALLE
COLOMBO.
WILLIAM LAIDLEY and CO.,
Lloyd's-chambers.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.—The A1 clipper schooner AGNES EDGELL, 302 tons register, is open for employment to any part of the WORLD.
For all particulars apply to
WILLIAM LAIDLEY and CO.,
Agents,
Lloyd's-chambers.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.
The splendid composite china clipper ship
CHALLENGE.
A 1 for 16 years, 599 tons register, Alexander Ritchie, commander, can be ready for sea in a few days.
For further particulars apply to the Captain, on board, at Parbury's Wharf; or,
LEARMONTH, DICKINSON, and CO.,
Agents.

FOR FREIGHT or Charter, the schooner Lady Robinson, 106 tons register. J. M'Donald, 137, Sussex-st.

FOR FREIGHT or CHARTER.—Clipper schooner LISMORE. Apply to C. B. Bond, 84, Sussex-st.

TONNAGE WANTED
To load either in Sydney or Newcastle, for
SINGAPORE
PARBURY, LAMB, and CO.

TONNAGE WANTED.—Vessel about 500 tons burthen, wanted for Hongkong, also two vessels, of about same tonnage, for San Francisco. Apply, by letter promptly,
CHARTERER,
Royal Hotel, Sydney.

TONNAGE wanted, to load coals at Newcastle for Sydney, for Singapore or Rangoon. Akyab or Bassein; thence to the United Kingdom or Continent.
COWLISHAW, BROTHERS, 50, Pitt-street.

YACHT ELLA.—This well-known Clipper for SALE, the owner leaving for England. Can be inspected by applying to the man in charge, off Darling Point; or to Mr. W. FARMER, 209, Pitt-street.

FOR SALE, a centreboard Schnapper BOAT, with gear, and a large net, 2-inch mesh; also a Cobble, order-built, copper-fastened. Apply GEORGE WARRINGTON, Manly.

FOR SALE, the Steamship KEMBLA, 424 tons B.M., 165 h. p. This favourite vessel is for sale subject to a charter now existing. She has excellent accommodation for passengers, is in first-class order in hull and machinery, will stow 300 tons cargo, and in speed she is superior to any other steamer in this or in the adjacent colonies.
Apply to the ILLAWARRA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

FOR SALE.
BARQUE, 450 tons, suitable for foreign trade
BRIG, 250 ditto, ditto intercolonial trade
SCHOONER, 180 ditto, ditto ditto ditto
SCHOONER, 90 ditto, ditto ditto ditto.
All these vessels are well found, and are in good order.
For all particulars apply to WILLIAM LAIDLEY and CO., Lloyd's-chambers.

FOR SALE—BARQUE, 425 tons burthen, A1 13 years, newly coppered, and in splendid order
BRIGANTINE, 200 tons on 10 feet water, superior craft
BRIGANTINE, 160 tons burthen; island trader
SCHOONER, 100 tons on 7 feet water, nearly new.
Apply to JAMES THORNE, Exchange-corner.

SURF BOAT, Ship and Coasters' Boats, Fishing Boat, and 18-foot Skiff. Ford, next Campbell's Wharf.

FOR SALE, 2 new BOATS, 17 feet and 8 feet. Apply at Russell's Shipyard, Pyrmont.

YACHTS various sizes, for SALE. R. HARNETT, 324, George-street.

FOR SALE, cheap, a CUTTER; carries 20 tons. Apply Ship Inn, Pitt-street, Circular Quay.

BY PRIVATE SALE, on Wednesday, the schooner WEST HARTLEY No. 1 was sold by Captain Inglis to Mr. M'NELL, of Richmond River, for the sum of £1200 cash. She is intended for the Brunswick River trade.

BOATS, BOATS.—All kinds built to order very reasonable. Yacht's Dingies, from 6 feet, at BUTSON'S Boatbuilding Shed, Albion Wharf, foot of Market-street.

TO SHIPOWNERS and OTHERS.
The PATENT SLIP at Wellington, N. Z., is capable of raising vessels up to 2000 tons register. Charges very low. Full particulars on application to the Manager.
J. R. GEORGE.
Wellington, 1st May, 1873.

FLOATING DOCK, DARLING HARBOUR.—THOMAS S. ROWNTREE and CO., Wood and Composite Shipbuilders and Blacksmiths. Ships of any size docked; repairs and work efficiently carried out on the most reasonable terms. Masts, spars, and ship timber of every description always on hand.

JOHN WILLIAM RUSSELL, Ship and Boat Builder (well known at Russell's shipyard, Pyrmont), desires to inform his friends and the public that he is now prepared to supply first-class Boats of every description; and having a good supply of Huon pine and cedar on hand, workmanship and materials guaranteed, with quick despatch, from his Establishment, Murray-street, Pyrmont.

MEETINGS.

TO THE WORSHIPFUL THE MAYOR—Borough of Camperdown.
Sir,—We, the undersigned ratepayers of the Borough of Camperdown, hereby request that you will be pleased to convene a Meeting of the ratepayers of such Borough, to consider the necessity of taking immediate steps to enforce the carrying out of the Prince Alfred Hospital Act, as regards the right of a public passage through the ground specified in the said Act.
We are Sir,
Your obedient servants,
James Maloney, John G. Bretsch
George Hall, Adolphus Townsend
N. C. O'Neill, George Hoping.
John Cahill
Camperdown, 30th October, 1873.

To James Maloney, Esq., and other gentlemen signing the above requisition.
Gentlemen.—In compliance with your request, I hereby convene a Public MEETING, to be held at the Council Chambers, Parramatta Road, on TUESDAY, the 11th day of November, at 7.30 p.m.
THOMAS ALEXANDER HINDS,
Mayor.

COOK'S RIVER ROAD.
We, the undersigned Magistrates of the Police District of Sydney, in Petty Sessions assembled, having received a requisition from the proprietors of land through which the Cook's River Road passes, requesting us to call a meeting of such proprietors for the purpose of electing Trustees for the said road, do hereby convene a PUBLIC MEETING of the Proprietors of Lands within three miles of, and usually approached by such road, to be holden at the Council Chambers at St. Peters, near Sydney, on TUESDAY, the 9th day of December next, at 12 o'clock at noon, for the purpose of deciding whether it is expedient or not that Trustees should be appointed for the said road; and we hereby appoint GEORGE TUCKER, Esquire, one of her Majesty's Justices of the Peace, to preside; and JOSEPH KINGSBURY and WILLIAM GANNON, of St. Peters, near Sydney aforesaid, Esquires, to act as Assessors at such meeting. And we further direct that notice of such meeting be advertised three times in the Sydney daily papers.
Dated the 7th day of November, A.D. 1873.
J. WALTER SMART, J.P.
G. HILL, J.P.
ROBERT FOWLER, J.P.

NO. 2 ROYAL WILLIAM BRANCH EXTENDED ORDER PROTESTANT ALLIANCE FRIENDLY SOCIETY.—Special MEETING, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, November 12, at half-past 7 o'clock, in Presbyterian Schoolroom, Pitt-street South. New members wishing to join will be admitted—up to 30 years, 7s 6d; up to 40 years, 10s. All information to be had of Mr. POULTON, Botany Road; Mr. SPROULE, Schoolroom, Pitt-street; or Mr. SAMUEL KNOX, President, Belvoir-street.

N. S. W. TYPOGRAPHICAL ASSOCIATION.—General MEETING, THIS EVENING, Oddfellows' Hall, at 7.30 o'clock.
R. C. MEACLE, Secretary.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
The Annual General MEETING of the Society will be held at the Society's Rooms, 227, George-street, Sydney, on SATURDAY, the 15th of November, at 11 a.m.
JULES JOUBERT,
Secretary.

ANNUAL ELECTION OF THE COUNCIL.
In accordance with the rules and by-laws of the Society, twenty members retire by rotation, and are eligible for re-election; two extra vacancies occur by the absence from the colony of two members of the Council.
The following have been duly nominated to act as members of the Council for ensuing year, viz.:—R. Blomfield, Thomas Cadell, E. K. Cox, E. C. Cracknell, E. Du Faur, W. A. Dumaresq, W. Garling, J. H. Goodlet, E. Greville, R. Hill, C. H. Humphrey, J. C. Irving, C. F. Jackson, J. Living, G. K. Mann, E. L. Montefiore, Hon. H. Moore, Dr. W. Morris, J. D. Macansh, J. Norton, J. N. Oxley, H. Reed, R. O. Neilley, R. H. Roberts, H. C. Russell, E. F. Stephen, A. Thompson, A. Town, W. Wallis, G. F. Want, E. H. Woodhouse, R. Wynne.
N.B.—Members are requested to refer to the rules and bylaws of the society (7, 8, and 9) relating to nomination and election of members, ballot, &c.
JULES JOUBERT,
Secretary.

MEETINGS OF PUBLIC COMPANIES.

PARRAMATTA GAS COMPANY (Limited).
Notice is hereby given, that a Special General MEETING of the Proprietors of this Company will be held at the School of Arts, Parramatta, on FRIDAY, 28th November, 1873, at half past 7 o'clock in the evening—
To Elect a Director in the stead of Thomas Wheaton Bowden, Esq., resigned.
Candidates for the office of Director must give notice in writing, addressed to the Board of Directors, at the Company's Office, George-street, on or before FRIDAY, the 14th November, 1873.
By order of the Board.
F. W. GRAVELY, Secretary.
Parramatta, 25th October, 1873.

EUREKA GOLD MINING COMPANY, MUTTAMA (Limited).
NOTICE is hereby given, that the Adjourned Special MEETING of the Shareholders in the above named Company will take place at the Office, No. 362, Lloyd's-chambers, George-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 12th November instant, at 12 o'clock noon.
BUSINESS: The consideration of the prospects of the Company, and to advise thereon.
By order of the Board.
E. N. EMMETT,
Manager.
362, Lloyd's-chambers, George-street, Sydney,
November 5, 1873.

KETTLE SWAMP AND MOUNT MARLAY TIN MINING COMPANY (Limited).
A Special General MEETING of the Shareholders will be held in the Chamber of Commerce, Town-hall, Brisbane, on MONDAY, 1st December, at 3 o'clock.
WALTER H. SNELLING,
Secretary.
Business: To confirm the alterations made in clauses 29, 36, 43, 54, 80, 95, 100 and 101 of the Articles of Association, as agreed to at the special general meeting held on 31st October.

LONG DRIVE GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited).
NOTICE is hereby given, that the ordinary Half-yearly General MEETING of Shareholders in this Company will be held at the Office, 309, George-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, the 24th instant, at 4 p.m., to receive the Directors' Report for the half-year ended October 31 last, Balance-sheet of accounts, and to transact any other business that may be brought forward in accordance with the Deed of Settlement.
By order of the Board.
WM. HOLME DAVIS, Manager.

DRUMMOND COPPER MINING COMPANY.—NOTICE is hereby given, that the first Half-yearly General MEETING of Shareholders in the above Company will be held at the Chamber of Commerce, Exchange, on MONDAY, the 24th day of November instant, at 4 p.m., to receive the Report of the Directors to 30th September last, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting in terms of the Deed of Settlement.
By order of the Board.
GILCHRIST and WESTON,
For the Secretary.
Sydney, November 7, 1873.

THE STAR OF THE WEST GOLD MINING COMPANY.—The Shareholders of the above Company are requested to MEET at my office, on WEDNESDAY next, November 12, at 3 o'clock, to consider the position of the mine.
J. SPRING, Crown Mills, King-street.

THE UNCLE TOM GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited).—The Special General MEETING called for Thursday, the 6th instant, has been adjourned to FRIDAY, the 14th instant, at the Exchange, at 3 o'clock p.m.
B. DE LISSA, Manager.

TO THE MEMBERS of the AUSTRALIAN M. P. SOCIETY.
I beg to intimate that it is my intention to offer my services as Auditor at the next Election of Auditors.
HENRY I. WEST.

LECTURES.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH MUTUAL IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION.—A public LECTURE, in connection with the above, will (D. V.) be delivered in St. George's Church, Castlereagh-street, on TUESDAY EVENING next, the 11th November, by Rev. J. MACKAY. Subject: "The Spirit of History." Chair to be taken by the president, the Rev. Geo. Sutherland, at 8 o'clock. The public are invited.

RELIGIOUS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

ANNIVERSARY OF THE OPENING OF THE RYDE WESLEYAN CHURCH.
Divine Service will be held on SUNDAY, the 9th instant, by the Rev. W. CURNOW, at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. On MONDAY, the 10th instant, there will be Service at 11 a.m., at the conclusion of which there will be a Luncheon. At 2 o'clock p.m. a Public Meeting will be held, when the chair will be taken by E. Terry, Esq.

NEWTOWN BAPTIST CHURCH.—The Rev. Dr. HOBBS will preach TO-MORROW EVENING. Service at 7 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Newtown.—The Rev. T. A. Gordon will preach to-morrow morn. and eve.

MANLY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—The Rev. J. A. Dowie will (D.V.) preach To-morrow.

YORK-ST. Wesleyan Church.—To-morrow, Rev. W. E. BOURNE, at 11 a.m.; Rev. W. FIDLER, at 7.

CITY MISSION CHAPEL, Liverpool-street MORNING, 11; Evening, 7. Hyde Pk. 3. Strangers invited.

CITY MISSION CHAPEL, Waterloo; MORNING, 11; Evening, 7. Open air Service, 3. Strangers invited.

ST. ANDREW'S SCOTS CHURCH.—Rev. Dr. WHITE will preach To-morrow, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

UNITARIAN CHURCH, SYDNEY.
Minister.... Rev. JAMES PILLARS, B.A.
The SUNDAY SERVICES, as formerly conducted in Macquarie-street Church by the Rev. J. PILLARS, will, until further notice, be held in the Masonic Hall, York-street, at 11 and 7. SUNDAY SCHOOL at 3 o'clock.
TO-MORROW EVENING:—
"THE SEER'S PHANTOM-GLEN."

NEW CHURCH.—The Right Rev. F. C. Bugnion, will preach at Clark's Rooms, SUNDAY, 11 a.m.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, St. John's Road, Glebe. SUNDAY, November 9, SERMONS will be preached (D.V.) by the Rev. J. P. SUNDERLAND. Morning, 11 a.m.; Evening, 7 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN SABBATH SCHOOL, Parramatta, Old Road, Forest Lodge.—The Rev. J. M'Kay will (D.V.) preach at the above place TO-MORROW AFTERNOON, 3 o'clock. School meets at a quarter-past 2.

WESLEYAN CHURCH, William-street, Nov. 9th. Rev. B. H. Rodd, at 11; Rev. G. H. Holmes, at 7.

THE PRESBYTERY of Sydney will meet in St. Stephen's Church, on TUESDAY next, at 10.30 a.m.

YOUNG MEN'S C. ASSOCIATION.—Mr. J. S. M'COY will preach on SUNDAY, at 3 p.m.

PITT-STREET CONGREGATIONAL SABBATH SCHOOL TEACHERS' PICNIC, PRINCE OF WALES' BIRTHDAY.—ROYAL ALFRED leaves Circular Quay at 10.15, and Woolloomooloo 10.30.

ASSAYS AND ANALYSES.—W. A. DIXON, F.C.S., 42, Hunter-street.
For five years Assistant in the University Laboratory, Glasgow.

PERSONS ADVERTISED FOR.

NOTICE.
If WILLIAM CINNAMOND, son of Wm. Cinnamond, late of Ballinderry, and of Clady House, Dunadry, in the County of Antrim, Ireland, who emigrated to Melbourne, Australia, in the year 1853, will communicate his address to the undersigned solicitor, he will be paid a sum of money which he is entitled to upon satisfactory evidence of his identity.
Any person who is aware of his present address if living, or in case of his death, will please communicate same to the undersigned, who will pay all necessary expenses.
Dated 9th day of August, 1873.
THOMAS CINNAMOND, Solicitor, 85, Donegall-street, Belfast, Ireland.

THOMAS BARRATT, formerly of Sofala, please send address to the Rev H. A. PALMER, Petersham.

TELEGRAMS for A. R. JONES and D. W. JACOBSOHN lying our Office.—GILCHRIST, WATT, & CO.

MR. R. MELLHUISH, formerly landlord of the Prince of Wales Hotel, Prahran, near Melbourne, a letter of great importance for you. Apply to Mr. CHARLES SKARRATT, Royal Hotel, George-street.

MYSTERIOUSLY DISAPPEARED from his home, and was last seen near Belmore Park, about three weeks ago, a LAD, 15 years of age (lately from sea), 5 feet 2 inches in height, rather dark complexioned, blue eyes, dark brown grey frieze suit, midshipman's cap, and has a large sum of money in Melbourne notes on him, which he conceals in an empty case of Dr. Bright's Phosphodyne. Any information leading to his discovery will be substantially rewarded by RAYNHAM, WATERHOUSE, and CO., Flinders-street, Melbourne.

MR. MANLEY (late of Permanent Force), CALL on J. ELLIS, 10, Francis-street, Glebe. Important.

MR. WM. KING.—Call immediately on Mr. LANKESTER, Grafton Wharf. Important business.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST, small rough SKETCHES of a Bridge on piles. Reward at 142, Pitt-street.

LOST, a Gold LOCKET, book shape, containing lady's likeness and hair. C. Hafer, jeweller, 328, Geo.-st.

LOST, a glazier's DIAMOND. Any person bringing it to 140, Oxford-street, late S. H. N., will be rewarded.

LOST, a Dunmortal Tumbler PIGEON, November 1. Finder rewarded. 66, Newtown Road.

LOST, a Gold KEEPER, between William-street and Potts' Point, on Wednesday night. Reward on leaving it at Mrs. WILLIAMS'S, Dressmaker, Hunter-street.

LOST, on 5th instant, from the residence of Mr. T. OATLEY, Ocean-street, Woollahra, a dark-coloured CANARY. The finder will be rewarded.

LOST, between Sydney and Waterloo, a pair of worked SLIPPERS, not made up. Reward, M. COOKE, 254, George-street.

LOST, on the 5th instant, between the North Shore Hotel, Blue's Point, and the school in Union-street, a Tortoiseshell BROOCH, set in gold. Finder rewarded at North Shore Hotel.

LOST or stolen, on Tuesday morning, a child's tatted FROCK. 10s reward on delivery, or £2 on conviction of the thief. MARK H. LONG, 72, William-street.

LOST, a Canvas BAG, containing a purse with a few shillings, and card-case with owner's name, "Miss Crook," &c. Lost in getting out of a Newtown omnibus, near the Haymarket. The finder will oblige by leaving the same at the HERALD Office.

STRAYED, last night, a chesnut PONY, white face, near hind fetlock white, branded on the near shoulder over LA. Reward 84, Oxford-street, late South Head Road.

FOUND, PURSE, with trifle; description by letter. Mr. Lee, HERALD Agency, South Head Road.

FOUND, a LOCKET, containing likenesses. Apply at 104, Victoria-street, Woolloomooloo.

FOUND, a Lady's BAG, containing money and other articles, near Haymarket. Owner can have it by paying for this advertisement. Apply at S. KERR'S Boot Warehouse, 728, George-street South.

£1 REWARD.—LOST, small Gold CHARM, in the form of a Kaleidoscope, photo. inside. Apply 100, Pitt-street.

CALLS ON SHARES.

GULGONG GOLD MINING AND QUARTZ-CRUSHING COMPANY (Limited), ROYAL GEORGE REEF LEASES.
The 9th CALL of 1s per Share on the Contributing Shares in this Company has been made by the Board, and is payable to the undersigned, at the Company's Office, 163, Pitt-street, Sydney, on or before the 15th November proximo.
By order of the Board.
J. H. MULHOLLAND,
Manager.

WESTERN PEAK DOWNS COPPERMINING COMPANY.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Directors have made a CALL of One Shilling upon each of the contributing shares in this Company, payable at the Company's Offices, 5, Spring-street, on or before THURSDAY, the 13th day of November proximo.
By order of the Board.
GILCHRIST and WESTON,
for the Manager.
Sydney, 27th October, 1873.

SHOALHAVEN RIVER SLUICING COMPANY (Limited).
The fifth CALL of Threepence on each contributing share is now made, and payable at the Office of the Company, 371, Pitt-street, Sydney, on or before SATURDAY, 15th November, 1873.
WM. AYTON, Jun., Secretary.
6th November, 1873.

UNION JACK G. M. CO. (Limited), Chambers Creek.
The Seventh CALL became due on 16th September last, and with all arrears is required to be paid without delay, recent favourable intelligence rendering it desirable to push on the work vigorously.
J. B. BAMFORD, Manager.
Union Jack Office, 352, George-street.

EUREKA G. M. CO., Sergeant's Reef (Limited).—NOTICE.—The Directors have, this day, made a CALL of ONE SHILLING per share on all the shares in this Company, of which THREEPENCE per share is required to be paid at the Company's Office, Greville's Rooms, Sydney, on or before MONDAY, 24th November instant.
GEO. A. HEWETT, L. M.
Sydney, November 5, 1873.
N.B.—By the 37th, 38th, and 39th clauses of the Deed of Settlement the Directors are empowered to charge interest, fines, and expenses on any calls remaining unpaid, and eventually to declare such shares absolutely forfeited.

SYDNEY FEMALE REFUGE.
SPECIAL APPEAL.
On reference to the last Annual Report of the above Institution, recently laid before the public, it will be noticed that mention was made of the urgent necessity for a new laundry, the one in use being very old, and in many respects unsuitable, and it was therein stated that a new building could be erected for £300.
After mature consideration the Committee thought it more desirable to erect a first-class laundry, ironing, and drying rooms, &c., in every way suitable for the convenience of the inmates, and the general efficiency of the institution. On its completion the building will be of a most extensive and useful character. Some idea may be formed of the large quantity of work done by the inmates from the sum realised last year for washing, viz., £483 19s.
The Committee have, therefore, accepted a tender amounting to £914, and relying on the generous support of the public have already commenced the new building.
The amount required and now asked for is £780.
The finances stand as under:—

Amount of this contract	..	£914 0 0
Cash in bank available..	..	134 0 0
Deficient	..	£780 0 0

Towards the above deficiency the following donations have been received, and are thankfully acknowledged:—

Mr. Thomas Walker	..	£100 0 0
Charles Wilson	..	1 1 0
Charles Moore	..	10 0 0
James Campbell	..	1 0 0
William Crane	..	2 2 0
J. H. Goodlet	..	10 0 0
J. S. Harrison	..	5 0 0
J. F., per Mrs. Goodlet	..	5 0 0
Mrs. A. B. Armstrong	..	5 0 0
Mr. Thos. S. Mort	..	5 0 0

Further donations are urgently solicited.
WILLIAM CRANE, Hon. Secretary, Newtown.
J. S. HARRISON, Hon. Treasurer, 397, George-street.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

NOTICE UNDER REAL PROPERTY ACT.—Applications having been made to bring the Land hereunder described under the provisions of the Real Property Act, Certificates of Indefeasible Title will issue unless Caveats be lodged in Form B of the said Act on or before the date named opposite each case respectively.

Property.	Name of Applicant.	Residence.	Date up to and inclusive of which Caveat may be lodged.
No. 3373. Stony Creek, Maitland, 23 acres 0 roods 35 perches: Bounded on the west by the Wollombi Road, 830 links; south and again west by land in the occupation of F. R. Ferrier, easterly 1630 links and southerly 1250 links; again south by land of P. Cline easterly 800 links; east by land of Mrs. Raymond and Rev. J. R. Thackeray 1850 links; and north by G. S. Rutherford's 2560 acres, 2370 links, to commencing point, —being part of J. Mitchell's 400 acres grant.	Bourn Russell	Near Maitland	1873. November 13.
No. 2743. City of Sydney, 1 rood 20¾ perches: Bounded on the south by Goulburn-street, 75 feet: south-east by Brisbane-street, 222 feet 6 inches; north-east by the premises of W. Duncan, 70 feet; and north-west by a lane 10 feet wide, 251 feet 3 inches, comprising lots 5 to 16 inclusive of section 2 of the Sheriff's Garden Estate. Also 23¼ perches: Bounded on the south-west by Little Brisbane-street, 101 feet; north-west by Brisbane-street, 60 feet; north-east, north-west, and again north-east by the premises of Mr. Dixon, 80 feet, 15 feet 6 inches, and 22 feet 6 inches; and south-east by the property of Mr. Gottlieb, 70 feet 4 inches,—being lots 11, 13, 14, and 15 of section 1 of said subdivision.	Benjn. James	Sydney	November 27.
No. 3420. City of Sydney, near Gas Works, 2¾ perches: Bounded on the north-east by Jenkins-street, 16 feet; north-west by premises of B. Palmer, being a line passing through a party-wall, 50 feet; south-west by land of Captain Rowntree, 16 feet; and south-east by premises of Mr. Barker, being a line passing through a party-wall, 50 feet,—being lot 24 of Jenkins's sub-division.	Michael Fay	Sydney	November 27.
No. 3425. Parish Willoughby, 16 acres 1 rood 6 perches: Bounded on the south by Union-street, 1,737 links; west by termination of said street, 100 links; again south by a line westerly 315 links to a creek running into the head of Berry's Bay; north-west by that creek upwards to land of Francis Hickson; north by that land, 1,389 links; and east by land of Mr. Pugh, 1,170 links,—being part of T. Walker's 39 acres grant.	Thomas A. Dibbs	Sydney	November 27.
No. 3,437. City of Sydney, 14¼ perches: Bounded on the west by Thomson-street, 71 feet 9 inches; north by premises of W. Chapman, being a line passing through a party-wall, 54 feet 6 inches; east by a lane 16 feet wide, 71 feet 9 inches; and south by the property of Mr. Thorpe, 54 feet 6 inches,—being part of block 23 (new grant) of the Riley Estate.	James Hunt	Sydney	November 27.
No. 3467. City of Sydney, 19 perches: Bounded on the west by York-street, 70 feet 9 inches; south by premises of M. Powell, 79 feet 2 inches; east by Savings Bank premises, 62 feet 4 inches; and north by land of P. Plomer, 79 feet 2 inches—being lot 10 of section 51, granted to J. Raymond.	Morris Asher	Sydney	November 27.
No. 3376. Burwood, 2 roods 5¼ perches: Bounded on the east by the Burwood Road 132 feet; north by premises of Mrs. Cowell 177 feet 7 inches; west by lot 7, 132 feet; and south by Hannah-street 177 feet—being lots 5 and 6 of Block 1 of Hilly's sub-division of part of the Cheltenham Estate.	Elizabeth S. O'Brien	Burwood	December 11.
No. 3448. Town of Nowra, county of St. Vincent, 1 acre—being allotments 6 and 7 of section 11, granted to Joseph Forsyth.	Daniel Watts	Milton	December 11.
No. 3421. North Shore, parish of Willoughby, 40¼ perches: Bounded on the south by the New Road, 182 feet 6 inches; east by land of Messrs. Lord and Dibbs, 120 feet; north by a lane 20 feet wide, 182 feet 6 inches; and west by land of B. G. Parsons, 120 feet—being part of Ryan's 120 acres grant.	John T. Gibson	North Shore	December 15.
No. 3275. Town of Fredericton, Macleay River, 2 roods, being lot 18 of section 10 in said town, having a frontage to Macleay-street, of 1 chain, by a depth of 5 chains.	George Parkins	Macleay River	1874. January 15.
No. 3354. County of Cook, Mount Tomah, 2560 acres, granted to George Meares Countess Bowen.	Robert Towns	Sydney	January 15.
No. 3424.—City of Sydney, 11¼ perches: Bounded on north-west by Peer-street, 35 feet; north-east by the premises of Mr. Hume, being a line passing through a party wall, 90 feet 9 inches; south-east by Macleay-street, 35 feet; and south-west by the premises of Mr. Kemp, being a line passing through a party wall, 90 feet 9 inches.	John F. Hilly	Sydney	January 15.
No. 3442. Village of Longbottom, allotments 19 and 20 of section 1, containing 1 rood 20 perches, granted to D. C. F. Scott.	Joseph Parker	Bathurst	January 15.
No. 3463. North Shore, parish Willoughby, 1 acre, 1 rood: Bounded on north-east by Richmond-terrace, 314 feet 9 inches; on the north-west by the property of Mrs. Hennings, 206 feet; south-west by Campbell-street, 307 feet 8 inches; and south-east by land of W. Tucker, 133 feet 9 inches—being part of Ryan's 120 acres grant.	Thos. A. Dibbs	Sydney	January 15.
No. 3464. Botany, parish of Botany, 10 acres granted to John Crane. Also, 2 acres 1 rood 24 perches, granted to S. Chislett.	John Lupton	Botany	January 15.

Diagrams delineating these lands may inspected at the Registrar-General's Office, in Elizabeth-street, Sydney. Dated this 6th day of November, 1873, at the Registrar-General's Office, Sydney.

R. G. WARD, Registrar-General.

SPECIAL NOTICE UNDER REAL PROPERTY ACT.—Applications having been made, under section 79 of the Real Property Act, by the undermentioned, to be registered as "Proprietors by Transmission" of the Lands hereunder described, such applications will be complied with, and Certificates of Title issued in accordance therewith, unless Caveats be lodged on or before the date hereunder notified.

Property.	Names and Residences of Applicants.	Title, how claimed.	Date up to and inclusive of which Caveats may be lodged.
No. CCLXVIII. County of Gipps, on the Lachlan River, 320 acres, portion 68.	Thomas Lee, near Bathurst	Devisee of the will of William Lee, late of Bathurst, deceased	1873. November 13.
No. CCLXXVIII. Village of Banks's Meadow, and parish of Botany, 1 rood 26¼ perches, allotment No. 14 of section No. 1.	Margaret Macnamara, of Gundagai	Executrix of the will of James M'Donagh, late of Botany, deceased	November 13.
No. CCLXXXI. County of Clarence and parish of Taloumbi, portion 166, containing 37 acres.	Mary Ann Matheson, of Grafton.	Administratrix of the estate of Wm. Matheson, late of Grafton, deceased.	November 27.
No. CCLXXX. Town and parish of Wentworth, part of allotment No. 5 of section No. 23	Emma S. Davis, of Wentworth	Administratrix of the estate of John Davis, late of Wentworth, deceased	December 11.
No. CCLXXXVI. County of Bligh, parish of same, portion 32, 40 acres.	George Bowman, of Richmond	Devisee of the will of Robert Bowman, late of Cassilis, deceased	December 11.

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R. G. WARD, Registrar-General.

General Post Office,
Sydney, 6th November, 1873.

CONVEYANCE OF MAILS.—TENDERS for the following Mail Services, either by coach or on horseback, for one or three years with the exception of those lines for which a special term is named, to commence from the 1st January, 1874, will be received up to noon on MONDAY, the 1st December next:—

Each successful tenderer for the Mail Services numbered 1, 4, 5, 13, 14, 15, and 21 must, within three days, either personally or by the hands of his agent in Sydney, deposit with the Bank of New South Wales, Sydney, to the credit of the Postmaster-General (and must lodge the bank deposit receipt therefor with the Secretary to the Post Office), a sum equal to 20 per centum of the annual amount for which the tenderer offers to undertake the service. This amount to be absolutely forfeited to the Government in case the person whose tender may be accepted shall fail to complete, within thirty days of the date of notice of the acceptance of his tender, the usual bond and contract, to the satisfaction of the Government. The notice of acceptance of tender, if delivered at the Sydney address of the tenderer or his agent (which address should be stated in the tender), shall be deemed sufficient.

The money deposited by the successful tenderer in each case to be returned after he shall have performed the service for (say) one calendar month, to the satisfaction of the Postmaster-General.

The tenders must be addressed to the Secretary to the Post Office, Sydney, and endorsed, "Tender for the Conveyance of Mails."

For full particulars see GOVERNMENT GAZETTE, a file of which is kept at every Post-office in the colony. No tender will be considered unless the terms of the notice published in the GAZETTE be strictly complied with.

1.—Withdrawn.
2.—Burragorang and Cox's River, twice or thrice a week.
3.—Sheet of Bark and Wood's Flat, three times a week.
4.—Brewarrina, and Brenda, via Morrabilla, Bundabulla, Willah, and Muckerewa, once a week.
5.—Brewarrina, Talawanta, and Brenda, via Bundabulla, Llangboyde, on the Biree, Wellmoringh Station, on the Culgoa, Tatala, Guomery, and the Biree Stations, once a week.
6.—Millie and Mogil Mogil, via Bunna Bunna, Buleori, Oriel, Munger, Burrandoon, Collimungle, and Werribilli, once a week.
7.—From Pilliga to Cappe Millie, thence to Bucklebone, Burren, Capel's, and Cryan, returning to Pilliga by the same route, once a week.
8.—Eurobodalla, Cobargo, and Bega, twice a week, for one year only.
9.—Eurobodalla and Wagonga, once a week.
10.—Cobargo and Tilba Tilba, once a week.
11.—Ballalaba and Fairfield, once a week.
12.—Miller's Forest Post-office and the steamers, when passing to and from Sydney.
13.—Moss Vale, Kangaroo Valley, Cambewarra, Bolong, and Nowra, three times a week, FOR ONE YEAR ONLY.
14.—Kangaroo Valley, Broughton's Creek, and Coolangatta, six times a week.
15.—Kiama and Gerringong, six times a week; and Gerringong and Broughton's Creek, three times a week.
16.—Broughton's Creek and Bolong, three times a week.
17.—Laggan and Peelwood, twice a week; and to and from Peelwood and Tuena, once a week.
18.—Murrurundi, Yarraman, and Tambar Springs, via Bundella, once a week.
19.—Rye Park and Dalton, once a week, for two years only.
20.—Home Rule and Canadian Lead, six times a week.
21.—Bathurst, Eglinton, Lower Turon, Hill End, and Tambaroora, by the Bridle Track, for the conveyance of letters only, six times a week. (Contractor will however be required to convey by this route the newspapers addressed to Eglinton, Lower Turon, and Chambers Creek).

HENRY PARKES.

General Post Office,
Sydney, 1st November, 1873.

CONVEYANCE OF MAILS.—TENDERS for the following Mail Service, either by coach or on horseback, for one or three years, to commence from the 1st January, 1874, will be received up to noon on TUESDAY, the 9th December next:

The successful tenderer for the undermentioned Mail Service must, within three days, either personally or by the hands of his agent in Sydney, deposit with the Bank of New South Wales, Sydney, to the credit of the Postmaster-General (and must lodge the bank deposit receipt therefor with the Secretary to the Post Office), a sum equal to 20 per centum of the annual amount for which the tenderer offers to undertake the service. This amount to be absolutely forfeited to the Government in case the person whose tender may be accepted shall fail to complete, within thirty days of the date of notice of the acceptance of his tender, the usual bond and contract, to the satisfaction of the Government. The notice of acceptance of tender, if delivered at the Sydney address of the tenderer or his agent (which address should be stated in the tender), shall be deemed sufficient.

The money deposited by the successful tenderer in each case to be returned after he shall have performed the service for (say) one calendar month, to the satisfaction of the Postmaster-General.

The tenders must be addressed to the Secretary to the Post Office, Sydney, and endorsed, "Tender for the Conveyance of Mails."

For full particulars see GOVERNMENT GAZETTE, a file of which is kept at every Post-office in the colony. No tender will be considered unless the terms of the notice published in the GAZETTE be strictly complied with.

1.—Booligal and Hay, twice a week.
2.—Narrabri, Wee Waa, and Walgett, twice a week. The mails must be conveyed by coach, at least once a week each way.

HENRY PARKES.

Department of Public Works,
Sydney, 7th October, 1873.

SALE OF TOLL-BARS—1874.—Special attention is called to the notice in the GOVERNMENT GAZETTE respecting the Sales of Leases of Toll-bars under this Department, for the year 1874.

Files of the GAZETTE are kept, and may be seen at every Post and Police Office throughout the colony.

General conditions to be seen on application to Clerks of Petty Sessions.

JOHN RAE.

General Post Office,
Sydney, 17th October, 1873.

TENDERS will be received at this Office up to noon on WEDNESDAY, the 17th December next, from persons willing to contract for the conveyance of Mails, Letters, and Newspapers for one year, from the 1st April, 1874, to and from the General Post Office and the Railway Station and Wharfs, and from all the Pillar Receivers, Branch and Suburban Post Offices, situated within a radius of three and a half (3½) miles from the General Post Office; to the General Post Office; for providing Ponies for the use of the Telegraph Department; and for the performance of any other work now done by the Horses, Mail Carts, and Ponies of the Post and Telegraph Departments.

Contractor will be required to provide Conveyances, Horses, Ponies, and Drivers approved of by the Postmaster General, and as the Pillar Boxes, &c., will be emptied, and the mails accompanied by Post Office officials, a seat must be provided in each conveyance for the use of one of these officials.

A driver, horse, and conveyance, and six (or more if required) ponies must be constantly in waiting at the Post and Telegraph Offices respectively, in case of being required.

As it may happen, in case of emergency, that the mail conveyance cannot be accompanied by a Postal Official, all drivers will be required to subscribe to the usual Post Office Declaration for mail men.

The successful Tenderer, with two sureties, will be required to enter into a bond to the amount of his Tender.

The Tenders must be addressed to the Secretary to the Post Office, Sydney, and indorsed "Tender for the Conveyance of Mails, &c."

The amount of duty imposed by the Stamp Duties Act upon the necessary bond and accepted Tender, viz., £1 2s 6d, is to be borne by the successful Tenderer.

The Postmaster-General does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

Offers will be received from Tenderers for the present Post and Telegraph Plant, including horses, mail carts, saddlery, harness, &c.

Full particulars of the probable number of horses and ponies required to be provided and of the work to be performed, can be obtained on application at the Post and Telegraph Departments.

HENRY PARKES.

Department of Public Works, Sydney,
29th October, 1873.

TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND SUPPLIES.—TENDERS are invited for the following Public Works and Supplies. For full particulars see GOVERNMENT GAZETTE, a file of which is kept at every Police-office in the colony.

Tenderers may be in attendance when the Tenders are opened, and the name of the successful Tenderer will be announced, if possible, before the duties of the Board have terminated.

No Tender will be taken into consideration unless the terms of the notice are strictly complied with.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

Nature of Works and Supplies.	Dates to which Tenders can be received at this office.
Additions to Lock-up at Murrumburrah Additions to Telegraph Station, Gulgong Construction of a Line of Telegraph from Bendemeer to Inverell, via Bundarra; an estimated distance of 80 miles.	11 o'clock on Tuesday, 11th November next.
Erection of a Stone Bridge at Long Cove, on the Parramatta Road Erection of Post and Telegraph Station, Burrowa Construction of Four Sections of Timber Wharf, together with additional ballast berths, on Bullock Island, port of Newcastle Construction of Four Steam Cranes on Bullock Island Wharf, Newcastle Additions, &c., Lockup, Nimitybelle Erection of Dwarf Wall and Iron Railing, Old School of Industry, Macquarie-street. Annual Contracts.—Colonial Architect's Department. Services required during 1874:— Masons and Paviors Carpenters Bricklayers Slaters Plasterers Painters and Glaziers Plumbers Blacksmiths Ironmongery. Annual Contracts. Articles required during 1874:— Supply of Building Stone, Sydney gaol. Supply of Building Stone, Parramatta gaol. Supply of Building Stone, Maitland gaol. Lighting Exterior Lamps, Victoria Barracks. Sweeping Chimneys, Victoria Barracks, and at the various military and colonial buildings in Sydney. Supplying such Coffins as may be required for the Colonial Public Service in the Police District of Sydney, and at the Hospital for the Insane at Gladesville.	11 o'clock on Tuesday, 18th November next.
Erection of a Steamers' Wharf at the western end of Cowper Wharf, Woolloomooloo Bay.	
Erection of a Bridge, Black Camp, on Road Bulladelah to Upper Myall Fresh Tenders for about 6000 Split Sleepers, of approved hardwood, to be delivered at Iluka Township, North Head, Clarence River Erection of Police Station at Hay.	11 o'clock on Tuesday, 25th November next.
Construction of Punt at Brewarrina. Improvement and Enlargement of the Boat Harbour at Newcastle.	11 o'clock on Tuesday, 2nd December next
Bridge over Pammamaroo Creek, on road Menindie to Wilcannia. Erection of a Telegraph Line from Casino to Ballina.	11 o'clock on Tuesday, 9th December next.

JOHN SUTHERLAND.

Department of Lands,
Sydney, 4th November, 1873.

STREETS.—His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, having deemed it expedient to open and make the several streets mentioned in the Schedule appended hereto, to be maintained at the expense of the parish through which they pass: Notice is hereby given, that in accordance with the provisions of the Act 4th William IV. No. 11, plan and book of reference, showing the intended lines of the streets in question, are now deposited at the Office of the Surveyor-General in Sydney, and at the Police Office mentioned.

It is requested that any well-grounded objections that may exist to the formation of the streets in question may be transmitted in writing to the Clerk of the Executive Council within one month from this date.

By his Excellency's Command,
JAMES S. FARNELL.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

Roads No. 73-1513. Description of Streets: Albert-street, Amy-street, Burren-street, Coulson-street, Devine-street, Erskinville Road, Flora-street, George-street, George-street, John-street, Knight-street, Malcolm street, MacDonald-street, Pleasant-street, Prospect-street, Rochford-street, Septimus-street, Swanson-street, in the Municipality of MacDonald Town. Names of reputed Owners or Occupiers through whose properties the streets pass: Dedicated to the public in the private subdivision of the Devine Estate. Devine's 210 acres grant. Police Office at which the plan and book of reference has been lodged:—Central Police Office, Sydney.

Commissioner of Public Works,
Adelaide, September 10, 1873.

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE AND MUSEUM.

The South Australian Government are prepared to receive DESIGNS for the ERECTION of a NEW INSTITUTE and MUSEUM at ADELAIDE.

The Designs to be drawn to a scale of 8 feet to 1 inch, and the elevations to be without colour; each design to be accompanied with an approximate estimate of cost.

The site on which the building is to be erected is situated on North-terrace, Adelaide, adjoining and east of the present Institute. The front of the building to face the south. A Lithographic Plan of the site will accompany the instructions.

The amount proposed to be expended on the whole building is £50,000 (fifty thousand pounds).

A portion of the building only is to be erected at present, the foundations of which are already in.

The premium for the best Design to be £100 (one hundred pounds), for the second best £50 (fifty pounds).

The Designs for which prizes may be given will become the property of the Government, and any of the other Designs may be retained at the option of the Government for the sum of £25 (twenty-five pounds).

The Drawings of each Design to be marked on the right lower corner with a motto or monogram, and accompanied with two sealed covers bearing the same device, the one enclosing "Estimate and Rough Specification" without name, the other giving name and address of the designer.

Designs to be sent in, addressed to the Hon. Commissioner of Public Works, on or before the second day of February, 1874.

For further particulars, see printed Code of Regulations, which can be obtained at this Office.

H. R. BRIGHT, Commissioner.

NOTICE.

LYTTELTON HARBOUR WORKS, NEW ZEALAND.

Time for reception of TENDERS is extended to NOVEMBER 12th, at the same hour, and under the same conditions as before.

WALTER KENNAWAY,
Secretary for Public Works.

Department of Public Works,
Railway Branch,
Sydney, 31st October, 1873.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.
GREAT SOUTHERN, WESTERN, and RICHMOND LINES.

PRINCE OF WALES' BIRTHDAY,
10TH NOVEMBER, 1873.

On the above day EXCURSION TICKETS will be issued at all Stations, at a single fare for the double journey, available for return on the day of issue only, for distances not exceeding 15 miles.

For distances over 15 miles, tickets at a single fare for the double journey will be issued by the 5.0 and 5.10 p.m. Trains on the 7th instant, and by through Trains on the 8th and 10th instant, available for return until and on TUESDAY, the 11th instant.

JOHN RAE,
Commissioner for Railways.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

PRINCE OF WALES BIRTHDAY.

The Redfern Station will be CLOSED on MONDAY, 10th November.

No goods will be delivered or received on the above date at the Redfern Goods Station; but arrangements will be made for the delivery of perishables and live stock up to 10 o'clock in the morning.

JOHN RAE,
Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Public Works, Railway Branch,
Sydney, November 7, 1873.

HARBOUR WORKS, LYTTELTON, NEW ZEALAND.

TENDERS will be received at this Office up to 4 p.m. on WEDNESDAY, November 12th, for the following works:—

Breakwater and Wharf—Officers' Point.
Breakwater—Naval Point.
Jetty—Tunnel Mouth.

Tenders must be addressed "To the Secretary for Public Works, Canterbury, New Zealand," and marked outside with one or more of the above headings.

Plans and specifications may be seen at this Office, and at the Provincial Public Works Office, Dunedin, on and after September 1st.

Telegraphic tenders, similarly addressed and marked, will be received if sent through any telegraph office in New Zealand by noon of the same date, provided that written tenders in due form are posted (as shown by the post mark) on the previous day, Tuesday, November 11th.

WALTER KENNAWAY,
Secretary for Public Works.

Public Works Office, Christchurch.
New Zealand, August 21, 1873.

NOTICE.

Photographic copies of the plans of the Lyttelton Harbour Works can be seen at the office of the SYDNEY MORNING HERALD.

PASTORAL LEASES ACT OF 1869.

SALE OF THE UNEXPIRED TERMS OF LEASES OF FORFEITED RUNS OF CROWN LANDS IN THE UNSETTLED DISTRICTS.

Crown Lands Office,
Brisbane, November 1, 1873.

The attention of Stockowners and others is drawn to the Notices in the GOVERNMENT GAZETTE of to-day's date, containing lists of FORFEITED RUNS in the Unsettled Districts of Warrego, Leichhardt, Mitchell, North Kennedy, Maranoa, Burke, South Kennedy, and Darling Downs, the Unexpired Terms of the Leases of which will be offered for sale by auction, at the Rooms of ARTHUR MARTIN, Queen-street, Brisbane, on TUESDAY, 16th December, 1873.

The above mentioned Lists set forth the upset prices, areas, unexpired terms of lease, and descriptions of the boundaries of the runs in question, and survey fee payable.

Plans of the Surveyed Runs may be seen, and all information obtained, at the Crown Lands Office, Brisbane.

The officers in charge of the District Crown Lands Offices at Charleville, Rockhampton, Tambo, Bowen, Roma, Normanton, and Toowoomba, have been instructed to afford all information in their power to persons making inquiries with respect to the runs above referred to.

W. ALCOCK TULLY,
Chief Commissioner of Crown Lands.

PUBLIC COMPANIES.

NEWCASTLE ALNWICK COAL MINING CO. (Limited).
To be incorporated by Act of Parliament.

Capital, £50,000, in 50,000 Shares of £1 each; five shillings on application, five shillings on allotment; the balance at three and six months.

PROVISIONAL COMMITTEE:
The Hon. W. M. ARNOLD } Trustees.
Professor SMITH, }
ROBERT J. KING, Esq., O'Connell-street.
JOHN R. STREET, Esq., (Messrs. Street, Norton, and Co.)
JOHN YOUNG, Esq., Contractor.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.—The MINE HAS BEEN DRAINED in accordance with the terms of Prospectus. A PARTY OF MINERS are now raising sample BLOCKS OF COAL, and the public are invited to INSPECT THE MINE THEMSELVES.

We desire to call the attention of investors to the liberal terms of the above Prospectus, which offers the best inducement of any Coal Company yet proposed to the public.

CHATFIELD and MACKENZIE,
69, Pitt-street.

THE UNITED INSURANCE COMPANY.
(Fire and Marine.)
Capital, £500,000—unlimited liability.

HEAD OFFICE: 275, George-street, Sydney.

DIRECTORS:
The Hon. R. C. Weekes, Esq., M.L.C., Chairman.
J. R. Cattell, Esq. | J. B. Rundle, Esq.
G. R. Dibbs, Esq. | Richard Hill, Esq., M.P.
M. Alexander, Esq.
LONDON AGENT:
J. B. Watt, Esq., No. 5, East India Avenue.
MELBOURNE AGENT:
John Watson, Esq., No. 60, Collins-street West.

Policies issued in both branches of Fire and Marine Insurance at the lowest current rates.

WILLIAM RAE, Manager.

SCOTTISH COMMERCIAL FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL—ONE MILLION STERLING.
HEAD OFFICE—26, St. VINCENT-PLACE, GLASGOW,

The undersigned are now prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on behalf of above Company at lowest current rates.

CAIRD, PATERSON, and CO., Agents,
Wynyard-square.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.—
Capital, £1,945,000. Income, £280,000.
Reserve fund, £940,000.

Established in 1803. Losses paid since the foundation of the Society, £3,132,000.

Insurances effected on buildings, merchandise, and ships. Losses from fire by lightning made good, and all claims on adjustment paid in Sydney.

FANNING, GRIFFITHS, and CO., Agents, Spring-street, Sydney.

LARGE REDUCTION IN FIRE RATES.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE SOCIETY.
Capital, £100,000.

Only Society in the colony giving the insurers profits.

WILLIAM DAY,
Managing Director.

Offices, 235, Pitt-street.

THE LONDON GUARANTEE AND ACCIDENT COMPANY (Limited).
Capital, £116,000.

CHIEF OFFICE:
61, Moorgate-street, London, E.C.
MELBOURNE BRANCH:
44, Queen-street.
DIRECTORS:
The Hon. Sir George Verdon, K.C.M.G., C.B.
The Hon. James Graham, M.L.C.
SYDNEY AGENCY:
7, Gresham-street.
MEDICAL OFFICER:
R. S. P. Bedford, Esq., F.R.C.S.
BRISBANE AGENCY:
Bright, Brothers, and Co., Eagle-street.

The Company guarantees the fidelity of persons filling situations of trust, and insures compensation on personal injury, or a payment at death, arising from accident.

The British and Local Governments accept the Company's policies, which can be issued at the lowest rates, either separately, or with Guarantee and Accident combined.

Full particulars can be had on application to
ERNEST O. SMITH,
Agent for New South Wales and Queensland.
7, Gresham-street, Sydney.

The Bonds of the Company are accepted by the Colonial Governments, and in England by
The Imperial Government
The Board of Inland Revenue
The Board of Trade
The Local Government Board
The Court of Chancery
The Corporation of London.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY.
ESTABLISHED 1849.
PRINCIPAL OFFICE, 98, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.

Directors:
GEORGE KING, Esq., Chairman.
Professor JOHN SMITH, M.D., Deputy-Chairman.
SAMUEL LYONS, Esq.
EDWIN THOMAS BEILBY, Esq.
JOHN HAY GOODLET, Esq.
JOHN FAIRFAX, Esq.
Actuary:
MORRICE A. BLACK, Esq., F.I.A.
Chief Medical Officer:
SPROTT BOYD, Esq., M.D., 2, Lyons-terrace, Hyde Park.

The Society's Accumulated Fund exceeds ONE MILLION TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND POUNDS STERLING.

The Revenue from Premiums and Interest is THREE HUNDRED THOUSAND POUNDS STERLING.

There are 16,000 Policies in force, assuring SIX MILLIONS FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND POUNDS STERLING.

Comparative view of the NEW BUSINESS transacted in the first Four Years of the past and present Quinquennial Periods:—

Preceding Quinquennial Period.		Current Quinquennial Period.	
1865	£563,372	1870	£767,712
1866	552,722	1871	744,905
1867	487,650	1872	830,964
1868	550,670	1873	1,003,235
	£2,154,414		£3,346,816

The New Business of the present period has exceeded the amount transacted in the corresponding years of the preceding Quinquennium by £1,192,402, or 55 per cent.

The Expenses of Management are only 12 per cent. on the Annual Revenue.

The whole of the Profits are divided among the Members. The next Division of Profits will take place in 1874.

VICTORIA BRANCH:
35, QUEEN-STREET, MELBOURNE.
NEW ZEALAND BRANCH:
GREY-STREET, WELLINGTON.
SOUTH AUSTRALIAN BRANCH:
91, KING WILLIAM-STREET, ADELAIDE.

AGENCIES in all the Principal Towns throughout New South Wales, Victoria, Queensland, South Australia, New Zealand, and Tasmania.

The fourth Quinquennial Report, showing the Society's State and Progress, Prospectuses, and Forms of Proposal may be had, or will be sent post free, on application to the Principal Office or any of the Society's Agents.

By order of the Board,
ALEXANDER J. RALSTON, Secretary.

CORNWALL FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

REDUCTION IN RATES OF PREMIUM.

Proposals for both Fire and Marine Insurance accepted on behalf of this Company at considerably REDUCED RATES of PREMIUM.

GEO. A. LLOYD and CO., Agents.
362, George-street, Sydney.

INDUSTRIAL AND PROVIDENT PERMANENT BUILDING AND INVESTMENT SOCIETY.

THE CHEAPEST SOCIETY FOR BORROWERS, and the most PROFITABLE for INVESTORS.

10 per cent. Interest paid last year to Investors.

Shares, £20 each. Subscriptions, 1s per share per fortnight. Interest allowed 8 per cent., and profits. No fines are charged to the investor.

Interest at the rate of 8 per cent. is paid half-yearly on paid-up shares, and profits.

Surplus profits divided annually between investors and borrowers.

Borrowers can have immediate advances. Repayments 2s 3d per share per fortnight, or as much more as they may think fit.

Interest charged on the balance actually owing at the end of each year.

No premium charged or deducted from the loan.

5 per cent. interest allowed on deposits.

Copies of Rules (6d), and Books "gratis;" and every information may be obtained at the Society's Offices, Park-street.

WILLIAM JARRETT, Manager.

LONDON ALLIANCE BRITISH AND FOREIGN FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

Established by Act of Parliament, 1824.

Capital, £5,000,000.

Insurances effected on buildings and merchandise at lowest current rates.

GEORGE KING and CO., Agents,
10, O'Connell-street, Sydney.

REDUCTION IN FIRE PREMIUMS on Dwelling-houses, and other buildings not used for purposes of trade, and on their contents.

SYDNEY INSURANCE COMPANY.

Capital, £250,000, with UNLIMITED Liability of Shareholders.

DIRECTORS:
Richard Jones, Esq., Chairman.
John Fraser, Esq., Deputy-Chairman.
Hon. W. M. Arnold, Esq., M.L.A.
John Brewster, Esq.
Hon. S. D. Gordon, Esq., M.L.C.
George W. Lord, Esq., M.L.A.

Surveyor: William Munro, Esq.
Agent for Sydney and Suburbs: Mr. Edward Ramsay.
ALEXANDER THOMSON, Secretary.
Offices—Pitt and Hunter streets.

THE SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY of NEW ZEALAND.
Capital, ... £500,000.
Unlimited liability.

The undersigned are prepared to effect marine insurances on hulls, merchandise, freights, &c., at lowest current rates.

M. METCALFE and CO., 9, Bridge-street.

THE SOUTHERN INSURANCE COMPANY (Limited).

Registered Capital, One Million Sterling; Paid-up, One Hundred Thousand Pounds.
Head Office, Melbourne.

SYDNEY BOARD OF DIRECTORS:
F. Tooth, J. S. Mitchell, J. S. Willis, John Keep.

Marine Risks effected at lowest current rates. Time Risks on hulls, with particular average taken, subject to special arrangement.

JAMES LAIDLEY, Secretary.

PACIFIC FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SYDNEY.
Capital, £1,000,000.

DIRECTORS:
G. W. Allen, Esq., Chairman.
H. E. A. Allan, Esq. | W. Tucker, Esq.
Robert Saddington, Esq. | J. L. Montefiore, Esq.
London Branch—C. M. Smith, Esq., Manager.

Risks taken at lowest current rates.

Marine policies made payable in London, or any of the Company's agencies when required. A table of rates may be obtained at the Company's Offices, 91, Pitt-street.

H. L. MONTEFIORE, Manager.

THE LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.
FOR FIRE, LIFE, AND ANNUITIES.

DIRECTORS:
Chairman—Joseph Scaife Willis, Esq.
Benjamin Buchanan, Esq. | Edward Knox, Esq.
G. K. Holden, Esq. | Hon. E. Deas Thomson, C.B.
John B. Watt, Esq.
SURVEYOR:
F. H. Grundy, Esq., C.E.
MEDICAL REFEREE:
Alfred Roberts, Esq.

Large reduction in Fire Premiums on Dwelling-houses and other buildings, not used for trade purposes, and on their contents.

	City Sydney. s. d.		Suburbs s. d.
Brick or stone, slates, tiles, or metal, detached	2 3	..	2 0
Ditto, adjoining similar buildings	2 6	..	2 3
Ditto, adjoining shingled buildings	3 3	..	4 0
Shingles, and detached	3 3	..	4 0
Ditto, adjoining slated buildings	4 3	..	4 9
Ditto, adjoining shingled buildings	4 6	..	5 0
Iron buildings, detached	7 6	..	9 0
Wooden buildings, detached	12 6	..	15 0

Trade and country risks, including WOOL SHEDS, and WOOL therein accepted on favourable terms.

Mr. M. Holroyd has been appointed Agent for the collection of business in Sydney.

A. STANGER LEATHES,
Resident Secretary.

Head office, Margaret-street, Sydney.
30th June, 1873.

PERMANENT MUTUAL BENEFIT BUILDING AND INVESTMENT SOCIETY.
305, George-street, Sydney.
Chairman: G. WIGRAM ALLEN, Esq., M.P.

Amount advanced to March, 1873 .. £91,826 0 0
Amount standing to credit of investing members and depositors .. 61,004 0 0

ADVANCES made on freehold and leasehold securities to members or non-members; and any person desirous of purchasing property, or of obtaining a loan on property already in their possession, can have the money from the society forthwith.

All particulars on application to
RANDOLPH NOTT, Secretary.

VICTORIA INSURANCE COMPANIES
FIRE and MARINE, LIFE and GUARANTEE.
United Capital, ... £2,200,000.
Established, 1849.

LOCAL DIRECTORS:
George Thorne, Esq. | J. de V. Lamb, Esq.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.—The premiums are the lowest that can be accepted with safety to the insured and the Company.

MARINE RISKS at lowest current rates.

FIDELITY GUARANTEE Policies issued at lowest current rates, with periodical reductions, to Government and Bank officials and others holding situations of trust.

Private sureties can obtain indemnity policies from this Company, securing themselves against loss arising through the dishonesty of the person for whom they have become surety.

LIFE ASSURANCE, Endowment, or Annuity Policies granted at low rates of premium.

LIFE ASSURANCE COMBINED WITH GUARANTEE secures important REDUCTIONS in the premium.

Forms of Proposal and full particulars upon application to any of the Agents, or to the Resident Secretary.

NEW SOUTH WALES BRANCH, NEW PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.

FREDK. J. JACKSON,
Resident Secretary.

SYDNEY MARINE ASSURANCE COMPANY
(Unlimited Liability).
Capital, £100,000.

DIRECTORS:
Richard Jones, Esq., Chairman.
Henry Mort, Esq.
A. H. C. Macafee, Esq.
AGENTS:
London—Mr. William Mort, 155, Fenchurch-street.
Brisbane—Clarke, Hodgson, and Co.
MARINE SURVEYOR: Captain James Donald.

N.B.—Time risks on ships, with particular average taken, subject to special arrangement.

Policies on merchandise to Europe granted in places payable in London in case of loss, if required.

A table of the rates of Premium can be obtained at the Company's Offices, Lyons-buildings, George-street.

SAMUEL H. SMYTH, Manager.

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White lead of various qualities
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Paperhangings, borders, centres, decorations, &c., in great variety.

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21 ditto 24 x 20 ditto
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Raw and boiled Oil, Turpentine, white and red Lead; Paints, all colours; Varnishes, Kent's brushware, paperhangings, &c., &c.

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TENDERS.

No. 73-81. Town Clerk's Office, Sydney, 1st November, 1873.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS will be received at this Office until 11 o'clock, on TUESDAY, the 11th instant, for ALTERATIONS at the Central Shed, BELMORE Markets, in accordance with the drawings and specification of the City Architect, to be seen at the Town Hall, York-street.
CHAS. H. WOOLCOTT, Town Clerk.

TENDERS for the Supply of Vegetables and Pot Herbs, for the use of the inmates of the Hyde Park Asylum, for one year from January 1, 1874, will be received at this office on or before WEDNESDAY, 19th November.
Further information may be obtained on application to FREDERIC KING, Secretary.
Hyde Park Asylum, Sydney, October 20, 1873.

No. 73-82. Town Clerk's Office, Sydney, 7th November, 1873.

TO CONTRACTORS.—TENDERS will be received at this Office until 11 o'clock on TUESDAY, the 11th instant, for the performance of the undermentioned works, in accordance with the plans and specifications to be seen at the Town Hall, viz.:—
1. Forming, ballasting, and metalling roadway from the Randwick Road to the new nightsoil pit.
2. Formation of roadway and building retaining-wall, Waterloo-street.
3. Building retaining-wall, Gloucester-street.
CHARLES H. WOOLCOTT, Town Clerk.

TENDERS Invited for erecting and completing All Saints' Parsonage, at Parramatta; walls of brick. Apply J. HORBURY HUNT, Old Bible Hall Building, Spring-street, after 2 p.m.
A date will be given in a future issue for plans to be had at Parramatta.

TO FENCERS.—The undersigned require about 360 rods of Two-Railed FENCING erected near Sydney. TENDERS are invited for same. Particulars on application to
D. COOPER and CO., Waterloo Warehouse, George-street, Sydney.

COW FLAT COPPER MINING COMPANY (Limited).
TENDERS are invited for the carriage of not less than 250 tons, and up to 1000 tons of coal from Raglan Station to the mine, at Cow Flat; delivery to be not less than 30 and up to 60 tons per week, as the Mine Manager may desire one week's notice to be given of any increase over thirty tons.
There will be about ten tons per week return carriage, the rate of which is also to be stated.
All carriage of the Company, other than coal from Raglan to the mine, is to be embraced in the tender at 2s per ton over coal rate.
The tender accepted, will (if desired) carry all town delivery of materials and stores to and from the railway.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
Tenders returnable on THURSDAY, the 13th instant.
By order.
GILCHRIST and WESTON, Managers.
Sydney, 8th November, 1873.

TENDERS will be received up to THURSDAY, the 13th instant, for the erection of two Four-roomed Houses, at the Glebe. For plans and specifications apply to R. FOY, corner of Cleveland and Bullanaming streets, Redfern.

WANTED, TENDERS for the excavation of foundations to Commercial Bank, Haymarket. Full particulars at 121, Crown-street, Woolloomooloo.

MEDICAL.—Wanted, TENDERS, up to 15th instant, for Medical Attendance on members and families of the E. O. P., A. F. S. and Manchester Unity Order. Apply C. TUCKEY, Secretary, St. Leonards.

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MONEY.—NATIONAL LOAN & DISCOUNT COMPANY. Offices—51, Hunter-street.

SUMS of £10 to £10,000 can be obtained on PERSONAL OR OTHER SECURITY, repayable by weekly monthly, or quarterly instalments.
ADVANCES made upon personal security, mortgage, deposit of deeds (freehold or leasehold), bills of sale, merchandise, bonded certificates, stocks and shares, &c.
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GOOD TRADE BILLS discounted at slight advance upon BANK RATES.

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Forms may be had gratis.
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MONEY TO LEND.—The Trustees of the Savings Bank are prepared to Lend Money at 6 per cent. on mortgage of approved freehold property.
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NOTICE.—Interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum is allowed by this Society on sums of money deposited for six or twelve months.
By order of the Board.
WILLIAM JARRETT, Manager.

£5000 TO BE LENT, in sums of £500 and upwards, on town or country property, at current rates of interest. Apply to W. W. BILLYARD, Solicitor, 32, Hunter-street.

SHARES and DEBENTURES may be Purchased or Disposed of through HENRY I. WEST and CO., 143, Pitt-street. Usual brokerage charged.

£8000 IN SUMS to LEND at 6 per cent. N. B. STENHOUSE, Hunter-street.

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MULHOLLAND AND WOOD, Managers of Mining Companies, Brokers, Mining Agents, and Trade Assignees, Moore's-chambers, 163, Pitt-street, Sydney, undertake the management and realization of assigned estates, the purchase and sale of shares or other stock on commission, and transact all general business connected with the investment or realization of capital.

ADVANCES made upon CITY Property 5½ per cent. HENRY W. STATHAM, Mort's-buildings.

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£100 TO £10,000 to Lend on freehold property. C. H. Long, broker, 61, Elizabeth-street.

LONDON LOAN and DISCOUNT SOCIETY.—NOTICE!!!—The above Offices will be closed on MONDAY next, in honour of the Prince of Wales Birthday, Elizabeth-street.

MONEY ADVANCED on gold and silver Watches, jewellery, plate, sewing-machines, books, firearms, apparel, deeds, &c., at a low rate of interest, by A. FREIDMAN, King and Phillip streets. Private office for loans.

A. J. STOCK, Union, and Bank N. S. W., for SALE. Wallsend and Waratah Coal, Interminable Debentures, and various other Shares. B. PLASHETT RODD, 132, Pitt-street.

SHARES for SALE, J. S. Bank, Surface Hill Consols, Mount Cosra Copper. C. BATE, 165, Pitt-street.

MONEY. MONEY. MONEY.—MORRIS ASHER, Auctioneer, &c., corner of Pitt and Park streets, is prepared to negotiate LOANS in large or small sums. BILLS OF SALE upon furniture or other property, either absolute or repayable by instalments, upon the most REASONABLE TERMS, and strictly private. Not LOAN OFFICE INTEREST.

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The leading Town and Country Brands, in Superfine, Fine, and Household qualities, for SALE by
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ROYAL VICTORIA THEATRE.
Stage Manager .... Mr. B. N. Jones.

Decided and legitimate success of
Mr. FAIRCLOUGH,
whose refined impersonations receive nightly the unqualified approval of large and critical audiences.
FIRST APPEARANCE in Sydney of the celebrated artiste
Mdlle. EUGENIE LEGRAND,
from the Theatre Imperial de l'Odeon, and the principal London Theatres, and recently of the Theatre Royal, Melbourne.
THIS (Saturday) EVENING, November 8,
GREAT ATTRACTION.
Production of Bulwer's great Play,
RICHELIEU.
The Cardinal .... Mr. FAIRCLOUGH
Julie de Mortemor...... Mdlle. EUGENIE LEGRAND.
Supported by
Mr. JAMES CARDEN,
and the full Dramatic Company.
Dress circle seats may be secured at Elvy and Co.'s.
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YORK-STREET.
Lessee and Manager .... Mr. W. B. Gill.
Scenic Artist..................... Mr. W. J. Wilson.

ANOTHER GRAND REVIVAL!
The Great Adelphi Drama,
FLOWERS OF THE FOREST!
which will be put upon the stage with that attention to details for which the Queen's Management has become famous.
Characteristic scenery by Mr. W. J. Wilson.
THIS EVENING, SATURDAY, November 8th, 1873.
The Great Adelphi Drama, in 3 Acts,
FLOWERS OF THE FOREST!
The performances concluding with the Farce,
LEND ME FIVE SHILLINGS!
Important Notice.
Boucicault's greatest Sensation Drama, FLYING SCUD, in which the great DERBY SCENE is shown, in active preparation.
Miss FLORA ANSTEAD and Mr. HENRY AVELING are engaged, and will shortly appear.
Stalls, 3s; family circle, 2s; centre box, 4s; private boxes, 10s 6d.
Tickets may be purchased at Mr. F. Kirby's, Pitt-street.

PRINCE OF WALES BIRTHDAY.—
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Dancing for the million in the large pavilion, 130 feet in length.

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20 'BUSES are engaged to start from Mr. J. DENMAN'S Trafalgar Hotel, Castlereagh-street, at 10 o'clock. sharp

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All wines and spirits guaranteed to be of best quality, and supplied at Sydney prices.

BOTANY-STREET (SURRY HILLS) WESLEYAN SUNDAY SCHOOL,
ANNUAL PICNIC,
on MONDAY next, November 10, at ORCHARDLEIGH, near Fairfield Station, 18 miles from Sydney.
Visitor's tickets, 2s 6d; children under 12, 1s 6d: may be had of Mrs. Abbott or of Mr. Iredale, Oxford-street (late South Head Road); or at the Wesleyan Book Depot, King-street; or of the teachers.
Refreshment booth on the ground. Hot and cold water in abundance.
The train will leave Redfern Station GOODS SHED, at 9.30 a.m., and Fairfield Station at 5.30 p.m.

ST. VINCENT'S HOSPITAL
Under the Patronage of his Excellency the GOVERNOR and the Hon. LADY ROBINSON.

The Rev. Mother and Sisters of Charity of St. Vincent's Hospital beg to inform their friends and the public that
A GRAND BAZAAR,
in aid of the sick poor of the above institution, is now being held in the School of Arts, Pitt-street, and is open from 3 to 10 o'clock p.m. each evening.
ROBERT COVENY, Hon. Treasurer.
GERARD PHILLIPS, Hon. Secretary.

ST. VINCENT'S HOSPITAL
GRAND EXCURSION
on
MONDAY, 10th November, 1873
(the Prince of Wales's Birthday).

Four large Steamers are engaged, and will ply from Circular Quay and Woolloomooloo Bay to Athol Gardens every half-hour from 9 a.m. up to 2 p.m.
The Artillery BAND and first-class Irish Pipers are engaged.

Tickets—adults, 2s; children's tickets, 1s.

Various sports will take place, consisting of Running and Walking Matches, Standing and Running Leaps, Football, &c., &c.
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BAZAAR, at the SCHOOL OF ARTS, will be found replete with the most recherche articles of Vertu, Bijouterie, &c., &c., &c.

COME and patronise the BAZAAR in aid of the sick poor in St. Vincent's Hospital.
Admission—ONE SHILLING.

PRINCE OF WALES' BIRTHDAY.
MONTEITH'S FAMILY HOTEL,
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This is the best place for Picnic Parties.
Ale and Porter, 1s per bottle.
Tea and Coffee.
Poultry Luncheon.
MODERATE CHARGES.
First-class attendance.
'Buses every five minutes.
Lawn for Dancing.
All kinds of Sports.
Everyone who desires comfort, health, and convenience,
ROLL UP TO COOGEE BAY ON MONDAY.

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THE LARGEST AND BEST 'BUSES
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Picnic Parties supplied with
ALE AND PORTER, 1s per bottle.
A FIRST-CLASS POULTRY LUNCHEON
at moderate charge.
A SPLENDID LAWN FOR DANCING.
QUOITS, SKITTLES, CRICKET, &c., &c.

BALMAIN REGATTA
10th November, 1873.
The splendid ship CATHCART, C. Crawford, Esq., commander, has been placed at the disposal of the Committee as FLAGSHIP. Tickets can be obtained from any member of the Committee.
W. K. CHAPMAN, Hon. Secretary.

BALMAIN REGATTA,
10th November, 1873.
The LUNCHEON on board Flagship will be provided by Mr. Charles Pfahlert, of the Exchange Dining-rooms, who guarantees to have an ample supply of every kind of refreshment.
W. K. CHAPMAN, Hon. Secretary.

CHOWDER BAY.—Prince of Wales' Birthday, 10th November.—NOTICE.—No Hawkers allowed.

PRINCE OF WALES BIRTHDAY.—IVANHOE PARK is the place for me; so come my friends and have a jolly good tea, with sports and dancing. There you'll see the Great Pavillion like a hive of bees. Pearson's brass band engaged.
W. WARDLE, Proprietor.

BAPTIST UNITED SUNDAY SCHOOL EXCURSION to Pearl Bay, Middle Harbour, Prince of Wales Birthday, MONDAY, 10th November, 1873.
The fast and commodious steamer ROYAL ALFRED, recently purchased by Captain Heselton for the Manly Beach Passenger Trade, just from New Zealand, together with the P. R. S. Company's steamer PELICAN, which has just received a seagoing certificate, have been engaged to convey the children and visitors to those delightfully situated and tastefully laid out grounds, at PEARL BAY.
Royal Alfred leaves Circular Quay 8, 10.15, 12.30.
" " Woolloomooloo Bay, 10.30.
Pelican " Glebe Island, 8 a.m.
" " Woolloomooloo Bay, 9, 11.15, 1.15.
" " Circular Quay, 11 a.m.
" " Pearl Bay, 4 and 6 p.m.
Royal Alfred " do., 4.30, 6.30.
Tickets, 2s each; children, half-price.
Hot water provided. Refreshments can be purchased on the grounds. No boats allowed to land.

SIR J. BANKS HOTEL, BOTANY.—Prince of Wales Birthday.—Cricket match, croquet, quoits, bowls, rifle shooting, &c. Poultry luncheon and other refreshments. 'Bus fare, 6d. Alfred Bradford, proprietor.

EXTENDED ORDER PROTESTANT ALLIANCE FRIENDLY SOCIETY, No. 6 Branch.
The first Anniversary of the above, will be celebrated by a grand Fête at Brother H. Drake's Grounds, Ashfield, on MONDAY, November 10, 1873.
Dancing, footracing, cricket, quoits, and other sports and games.
Brethren to meet at the Lodge Room, School of Arts, Ashfield, at half-past 10 o'clock a.m., to proceed to the grounds. Brethren from other branches invited to take part in the procession.
Young Australian Brass Band engaged.
Tea on the tables at half-past 6 o'clock p.m. Tickets, 2s each; children (under 12) half-price. May be had of Lea and Ross, 231, Castlereagh-street, Sydney; Brother J. Smith, Burwood; Brother H. Drake, Ashfield; Brother W. Rogers, Canterbury; or any member of committee.
NEIL W. QUIGG, Secretary.

GERMAN ASSOCIATION. — PRINCE OF WALES BIRTHDAY.—The ANNUAL GRAND PICNIC in aid of the above Association, will take place on MONDAY, 10th of November, at BOTANY TEA GARDENS. The full German Band is engaged. Tickets—Admission to the ground 2s each; children half price, may be applied for at Mr. J. P. Lennarts', Grafton Arms, George-street; Mr. C. Momberg, Hunter-street; Mr. L. Henschkel, Bay-street, Glebe; Messrs. Sykes and Simpson, Pitt-street; Mr. C. Pfahlert, Exchange; Mr. R. Wehlow, Golden Fleece, Haymarket; Mr. Cole, corner George and King streets and at the Committee Rooms, Trafalgar Hotel, 176, Castlereagh-street. 'Buses will leave Mr. J. Denman's, Trafalgar Hotel, at 10 o'clock sharp.
CHARLES LAMY, Secretary.

SPENCER'S ROYAL POLYTECHNIC,
222, Pitt-street.
Open daily from 10 a.m. till 10 p.m.
Admission, One Shilling. Children under 10 half-price.
Vocal and Instrumental Concert every night at 8.
Another grand addition—MODEL of the ZIGZAG and BLUE MOUNTAINS, 30 feet long. TRAINS in motion. SPLENDID SCENERY, &c., &c.

THIS AFTERNOON. ALBERT GROUND.
UNIVERSITY v. ALBERT.
PLAY at half-past 1 o'clock.
ADMISSION, 6d. LADIES FREE.

MONDAY—PRINCE OF WALES' BIRTHDAY.
GRAND CRICKET MATCH
for the
CHALLENGE CUP,
WARWICKS v. ALBERTS.
PLAY at half-past 10 o'clock.
ADMISSION—One Shilling. LADIES FREE.
Members of the competing clubs and Albert Ground ticket holders admitted upon production of season ticket.

UNIVERSITY C. C.—First Eleven, on Albert Ground, TO-DAY, at 1; and on Domain, MONDAY, 9.30.

THE STEAMER OUR QUEEN will follow all the races. Fare, ONE SHILLING.

ST. MATTHIAS', WOOLLAHRA. — SUNDAY SCHOOL EXCURSION to CHOWDER BAY, on SATURDAY, November 8. Steamer from Double Bay pier at 9 and 11 a.m.; Circular Quay 2.15. Tickets, 1s 6d.

FOR CLONTARF.—The steamer OUR QUEEN will leave the Queen's Wharf at half-past 10 and half-past 2, calling at Woolloomooloo.
Return tickets, One Shilling.

SPORTS. SPORTS. SPORTS.
HAMPTON COURT HOTEL, COOK'S RIVER,
PRINCE OF WALES BIRTHDAY.
Pig with greasy tail, foot racing, jumping in sacks, wheelbarrow racing, skittles, quoits, &c.
DANCING. DANCING. DANCING
A splendid band in attendance.
Admission free. 'Buses every five minutes.

CHOWDER BAY. PRINCE OF WALES BIRTHDAY.
MONDAY next. MONSTER PROTESTANT PICNIC.
The Committee have now completed their arrangements for this great Protestant gathering. It is confidently expected that this will be the largest Picnic ever held anywhere about the harbour. To enable families and all classes to attend, the price of RETURN TICKETS has been fixed—Adults, 1s 6d; children, 1s.
Chowder Bay and its surroundings form one of the most romantic and beautiful retreats to be found anywhere about the Harbour, and this, without any other attraction, is sufficient to entice people on a Holiday Excursion. No doubt hundreds will find immense delight in walking along the newly made roads, from which some of the grandest scenery in the world may be viewed. The Fortifications must not be forgotten—can now be reached easily. Delightfully cool, shady retreats all over the ground, which are kept in an excellent condition. In addition to the natural scenery the Committee have prepared one of the longest and most attractive programmes ever offered. On the Lawn, near the Giant Fig Tree, a large Platform has been erected for the grand Open-air Concert and miscellaneous entertainment; M. Coburg, beautiful Fire-balloons, &c.

Engagement of the following talented professional artists:—
J. A. HERMAN, Violinist and Tenor Primo
J. OATEN, Premier English Concertina Soloist and Tenor Secunda
N. REEVES, Violoncelloist and Baritone
R. JAMES, Banjoist and Basso
JOHNNY LOCKYER, Tambo and Eccentric Comedian
JOHNNY BURGESS, Bones, Clog Dancer, Comedian
W. ROBSON, Champion Jig Dancer and Comedian, and
FRANK BROWN,
THE LION COMIQUE.

At 1 o'clock, under the management of Oaten and Herman,
THE X. L. C. R. MINTRELS.
Introductory overture .... Band
Opening chorus, "Operatic" .... Minstrels
"You'll break my heart" .... J. Oaten
"Lily of the lake" .... J. A. Herman
"Railway car" .... Johnny Burgess
"Take me back home" .... R. James
"Alabama State" .... Johnny Lockyer
"Darling Jennie" .... J. A. Herman
Finale—"The Boungela" .... Company

At 2.45 o'clock,
FRANK BROWN, the LION COMIQUE, "Parisian Arry," "Dad, dad, dad," "American drinks."
CHAMPION CLOG DANCE....JOHNNY BURGESS
Song .... R. James
SONG and DANCE .... W. ROBSON
SOLO ENGLISH CONCERTINA ....J. OATEN
COMIC SKETCH
LOCKYER, BURGESS, and OATEN.
SOLO VIOLIN COMIQUE .... J. A. HERMAN
SONG and DANCE .... W. ROBSON.

At 4.15 o'clock,
FRANK BROWN, the LION COMIQUE, "Walking out on Sunday," "First she would, &c.," "Courting in the Rain."
The NEGRO FARCE entitled
ARRIVAL of the CALIFORNIA MAIL.
Characters by the company. Winding up with
LITTLE OLE LIZA JANE.

Take particular notice—At 12 o'clock, Exhibition, PUNCH AND JUDY.
¼ to 1, Selections, Operatic—Parramatta Band.
2 o'clock, magnificently coloured highly illuminated Fire Balloon, by M. Coburg
½-past 3, Exhibition, Punch and Judy
4 o'clock, Selections—Parramatta Band
5 o'clock, magnificently coloured illuminated Fire Balloon, by M. Coburg
½-past 5, Selections—Parramatta Band
6 o'clock, Exhibition—Punch and Judy.
Remember this portion takes place between performances of X. L. C. R. Minstrels.
For the pavillion, the favourite Brass Band, attached to Parramatta Volunteers—acknowledged to be one of the best in the colony for dancing. M. C. and Pavilion Committee appointed. E. O'Neil's Original Australian Punch and Judy—has performed at Exhibition, 1870, 71, 72, 73; certain to give satisfaction to all. For the children, E. O'Neil's Merry-go-Round—tastefully got up for this occasion.
Lots of Fun. All the Holiday Sports, such as Cricket, Croquet, Quoits, Skittles, Football, &c.
Hot and cold water—never failing supply.
Chowder Bay Picnics are known to be well-conducted. No disorder—no crushing nor confusion; no difficulty getting home again. Special Notice—No waiting for steamers at Circular Quay. Four fast commodious steamers, so arranged as to have one always at the wharf. Come early and secure good places.
First boat leaves Circular Quay, end of Pitt-street, ½-past 8 sharp; run constantly to ½-past 2.
First return, ½-past 4; last, ½-past 6.
CHOWDER BAY, MONDAY NEXT.
MONSTER PROTESTANT PICNIC.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.
The magnificent steamship Kembla engaged—one of the largest and best boats belonging to the port—to run in connection with three others.

CHOWDER BAY, PRINCE OF WALES BIRTHDAY, MONDAY next.
Caution to Boating Parties.—No one allowed to land without tickets. Any one attempting to do so will be at once handed over to the police.

CHOWDER BAY, PRINCE OF WALES BIRTHDAY, MONDAY next.
The Committee and all friends willing to assist meet at Circular Quay, end of Pitt-street, punctually at 8 o'clock, Monday morning.
JOHN DAVIES, Secretary.

X. L. C. R. MINSTRELS.—Meet for Rehearsal Scandinavian Music Hall, TO-DAY, Saturday, 2 p.m. sharp.
J. OATEN.

BALMAIN REGATTA,
PRINCE OF WALES BIRTHDAY,
10TH NOVEMBER, 1873.

PATRON:
His Excellency Sir Hercules G. R. Robinson.
PRESIDENT:
George Wigram Allen, Esq., M.L.A.
VICE-PRESIDENT:
F. H. Trouton, Esq., Mayor of Balmain.
UMPIRES:
Mr. J. Broomfield and Mr. F. Curtis.
STARTER:
Mr. W. Deloitte.
TREASURER:
Mr. Q. L. Deloitte.
HON. SECRETARY:
Mr. W. K. Chapman.
COMMITTEE:

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Q. L. Deloitte	J. See
W. Deloitte	J. Storey
W. Harpur	F. H. Trouton
R. Johnson	E. Wolstenholme.

PROGRAMME.
First Race.—To start at 10.30. SKIFF DINGIES under canvas; boats not to exceed 19 feet; fixed centreboards or fins allowed; skiffs under 19 feet to receive one minute per foot. Course: From moorings off A. S. N. Co.'s Slip round Fort Denison, round flagship, round Fort Denison, and back to flagship. First prize, £10; second, £2. Entrance, 10s.
1. Ettie—S. H. Hyam, 18 feet—A. S. N. Co.'s flag
2. Edith—R. Milsom, 19 feet—White flag
3. Desdemona—G. Holmes, 17 feet—Red flag
4. Arrow—H. Ireland, 19 feet—White and blue flag
5. Alice—J. Milsom, 19 feet—Red, white, and blue flag
6. Leisure Hour—J. G. Myers, 17 feet—Dark blue flag.
Second Race.—To start at 11. ALL AMATEURS pulling a pair of sculls, in light skiffs. Course: From flagship round boats off Perkin's Point, round Dolphin off Pyrmont Bridge, and back to flagship. First prize, £10; second, £2. Entrance, 5s.
1. I'll Try—R. Colebrook—Dress, white; flag, white
2. Tim Whiffler—W. Lyons—Dress, white, black ball; flag white, black ball
3. Barb—R. Trickett—Dress, white, pink sash; flag, white and pink
4. Terror—R. Shepherd—Dress, white, blue sash; flag, blue
5. Tasman—J. Lynch—Dress, white guernsey, blue cap; flag, pink, blue border.
Third Race.—To start at five minutes past 11. AMATEUR SAILING CLUB RACE.—Own handicap. Course: First-class—From moorings in Johnson's Bay round red buoy off Fort Macquarie, round flagship, round boat moored off Shark Point, back to and round flagship. Second-class—From moorings in Johnson's Bay round Fort Denison, round flagship, round boat moored off Shark Point, back to and round flagship. Third-class—From moorings in Johnson's Bay round Fort Denison, round flagship, round Shark Island, back to and round flagship. Prize, £10, supplemented by a similar prize from A. S. Club. Entrance, 10s.

FIRST-CLASS.
1. Kingfisher—C. Bransby—Blue, white ball; scratch
2. Stormy Petrel—S. Dodds—Red, white, and green; 1 minute
3. Firefly—W. Melville—Red; 3 minutes
4. Sea Gull—F. Blake—Black and red; 2 minutes
5. Wyvern—P. Rich—Red, white Maltese cross; scratch
6. Bronte—J. B. Holdsworth—Australian ensign; 2 minutes.

Prize, £10.
SECOND-CLASS.
1. Inca—J. Amora—Blue—white star; 5 minutes
2. Cythia—F. Bremer—Blue, gold Maltese cross; scratch
3. Gazelle—J. Robinson—White, red Maltese cross; 4 minutes
4. L-Idee—B. Boak—Blue, white crescent; 4 minutes
5. Lunette—J. Harding—Red, white cross; 3 minutes
6. Cadet—H. Stephens—Blue, white chequered; 7 minutes.

Prize, £4.
THIRD-CLASS.
1. Alice—J. Milson—Red, white and blue; 3 minutes
2. Kusarawa—H. Lane—White, blue square; 2 minutes
3. Undine—J. Hills—Blue, white cross; scratch
4. Emma—J. Muston—White, St. Andrew's Cross; scratch.

Prize, £6.
Fourth Race.—To start at 11.30. For JUNIOR SCULLERS, who have never won a prize, members of the S. R. Club, pulling two pairs sculls, in S. R. C. skiffs, with coxswain. Course: From Peacock's Point round flagship, round Dolphin off Pyrmont Bridge, and back to flagship. Prize, trophies. Entrance, 10s.
1. Elvira—T. H. Hale, G. K. Clarke—White, blue sash; white and blue flag
2. Faust—H. W. Abbott, M. H. Fitzhardinge—Yellow and black; yellow and black flag.
3. Rivulet—F. B. Hall, F. H. Williams—white, red caps; blue and red flag.
Fifth Race.—To start at 12 o'clock. INTERCOLONIAL CHAMPION GIG RACE.—For all bona-fide amateurs, that is those who do not gain their living by manual labour, pulling four oars in string-test gigs, not exceeding 42 feet overall, with coxswains. Course: From Pyrmont Bridge round Goat Island, round the hulk Golden South in Johnson's Bay, and back to flagship. Prize, trophies value £30. Entrance, £2 2s.
1. Elvira—T. W. Smith, W. C. B. Tiley, R. A. Clark, P. J. Clark, stroke; coxswain, L. M'Kay—White, blue sash; blue flag
2. Adolphi—Beauchamp, W. Cope, M. A. H. Fitzhardinge, J. Blaxland, stroke; coxswain, J. Miller—White, blue caps; white and blue flag.
Sixth Race.—To start at half-past 12. ALL YACHTS under 10 tons; handicapped (sealed) by the Committee. Course: From moorings in Johnson's Bay round boat off Manly, round flagship, round lightship and Sow and Pigs, and back round flagship. First prize, £30; second, £10. Entrance, £2 2s.
1. Eva, 7 tons—C. Medcalfe and J. Blackman—White, red cross, red tip
2. Australian, 7 tons—E. B. Smith—White, with blue centre
3. Ione, 6 tons—F. J. Jackson—Blue, gold bar
4. Osprey, 6 tons—W. G. Kirchner—Black, white and red
5. Torment, 5 tons—J. R. Walters—Blue, white ball
Seventh Race.— To start at a quarter to 1. For LICENSED WATERMEN, pulling 2 pairs sculls in licensed watermen's boats, to be approved by the Committee. Course: As No. 2. First prize, £15; second, £6. Entrance, 10s.
1. Betsy—R. Green, E. O'Connell—White; white flag
2. Galatea—J. Dunnett, M. O'Brien—Red; red flag
3. Blanche—G. Reynolds, R. Thrussell—White, red sash; white and red flag
4. Phœbe—J. Candlish, J. Wall—White, blue sash; white and blue flag.
Eighth Race.—To start at 1. CHAMPION RACE, for all Sailing Skiffs under canvas; fixed centreboards and fins allowed; skiffs under 22 feet to receive one minute per foot. Course: From moorings in Johnson's Bay round Shark Island, round flagship, round Fort Denison, and back round flagship. First prize, £12, and trophy, value £8; second, £5. Entrance, £1 1s.
1. Emma, 20 feet, A. Muston; Blue flag
2. Othello, 22 feet, G. Holmes; Red flag
3. Hope, 22 feet, F. Hays; Red and white flag
4. Faerie Queen, 22 feet, S. H. Hyam; A. S. N. Co.'s flag.
Ninth Race.—To start at half-past 2.—GIG RACE.—For all amateurs, pulling four oars in string-test gigs, not exceeding 42 feet overall, with coxswains. Course: From Pyrmont Bridge round boats off Perkins's Point, round Goat Island, and back to flagship. Prize, £20. Entrance, £1.
1. Scrambler—R. Murray, R. Macdonald, J. Rogers, J. Denis; J. Miller, coxswain—White and blue sash; white and blue star flag
2. Horatio—F. Roderick, G. Welsh, W. Bull, C. Bullivant; J. McKay, coxswain—White dress; white flag
3. Arrow—H. Ireland, S. Drennan, P. Mahoney, F. Punch; Ireland, coxswain—Pink dress; pink flag.
Tenth Race.—To start at 3. FISHING BOATS under canvas (time allowance, 1 minute per foot); no boat to exceed 24 feet in length. Course: From moorings in Johnson's Bay round lightship and Sow and Pigs, round flagship and Shark Island, and back round flagship. First prize, £20; second, £5; third, £3. Entrance, £1.
1. After Dark Once, 22 ft., T. Bates—Red caps; red flag
2. Star of Hope, 22 ft., J. Nash—White flag
3. Young Jim, 23 ft., J. Goord—Red, white, and blue
4. Hope, 22 ft., G. Newton—Red and yellow
5. Kingfisher, 24 ft., C. B. Bransby—S. A. S. Club uniform, blue, white ball
6. Native Rose, 22 ft., J. Smith—Blue flag.
7. Wyvern, 24 feet, H. P. Rich—Red, white Maltese cross
8. Fire Fly, 24 feet, W. B. Melville—S. A. S. Club uniform, red and blue
9. Stormy Petrel, 23 feet, S. Dodds—S. A. S. Club uniform, red, white square
10. Mermaid, 23 feet, J. Humphries—White and blue
11. Big Berry, 23 feet, G. Templeton—Blue Peter
Eleventh Race.—To start at 3.30.—For all AMATEURS who have never won a public prize, pulling two pairs sculls, in light skiffs. Course: As No. 2. First prize, £12; second, £2. Entrance, 10s.
1. Native, J. Hughes, W. Jenkins—Blue and pink; blue and pink flag
2. Leading Star, E. Deering, A. Roderick—Pink; pink flag
3. Tim Whiffler, P. Tierney, R. Brown—White; white flag
4. Quickstep, H. Pearse, W. Easton—Red and white; blue flag
5. Barb, R. Johnson, W. Morando—White, blue sash; white and blue flag.
Twelfth Race.—To start at 4 o'clock. WHALEBOAT RACE, pulling 5 oars (any description). Boats not to exceed 30 feet overall, and not less than 5 feet beam, and 2 feet deep. Course: From flagship round boats off Perkins Point, round Dolphin off Pyrmont Bridge, round boats off Perkins Point, round Dolphin, and back to flagship. Prize, £50. Entrance, 20s.
1. Native Rose, B. Barnett's crew—Blue and white flag; blue nose
2. Thistle, Artillery Crew: H. Lynch, W. Haywood, J. Long, W. Ingall, A. R. Gibson; J. Pavour, emergency—Red flag, No. 3 on nose.
3. Right Whale, R. Trickett, W. Lyons, J. Dunnett, J. M'Leer, E. O'Connor; Steersman: F. Hayes—White flag; red nose
Thirteenth Race.—To start at 5 o'clock. GIG and DINGY. Prize, £3. Gig not less than 21 feet; dingy to keep in open water. Time, 15 minutes. Entrance—gig 2s 6d, dingy 1s.
Gig—W. Bruce
Dingy—A. Roderick.

RULES AND REGULATIONS.
1. All the racing boats shall round the various flag-boats and other stated marks, keeping the same on the starboard hand.
2. All yachts and sailing boats may carry any and what sails they please, but will not be allowed to use oars, or throw any ballast overboard after starting.
3. Boats on the port tack to bear up for boats on the starboard tack; boats running free to keep away for boats on a wind.
4. Any boat judged by the umpire to have wilfully fouled another boat to be considered distanced.
5. Each boat in the various sailing matches to fly a distinguishing flag. Yachts, a flag 1 foot by 1 foot 6 at mast head. All others, a flag 2 feet by 1 foot 6, which must be carried at the peak of the mainsail during the race.
6. The crews of all pulling boats to wear a distinguishing dress, to be named on entrance.
7. The crews of each boat in the various sailing matches to be dressed alike.
8. Sailing vessels must have their after sails set, and their head sail down, at the time of starting.
9. A white flag, with the number of the race in black figures, will be hoisted at the peak of the flagship to denote which race is about to commence.
10. A preliminary gun will be fired ten minutes before each race, when the boats must take their stations.
11. A gun for starting will be fired at the hour stated, when the distinguishing flag will be immediately hauled down.
12. The starter shall have the power to disqualify any boat not complying with his instructions.
13. In the case of any boat being distanced or disqualified, the entrance money shall be forfeited.
14. Disputes occurring in any of the matches must be made known to the umpire immediately after the race.
15. The decision of the umpire in all matters shall be final.
16. Boats will take their stations as numbered. No. 1 next flagship, and the others in numerical order.
17. All pulling boats coming in shall pass between the flagship and Balmain, and sailing boats shall round the flagship on the starboard hand, finishing the race between the flagship and Balmain.
18. All boats and crews to be subject to the approval of the committee; and the committee reserve to themselves the right to return any entrance money they may think proper.
19. Pulling skiffs not to exceed 22 feet overall, and not to be under 4 feet 6 inches beam, nor less than 18 inches deep throughout.
20. Sailing skiffs not to exceed 22 feet overall, 5 feet beam, 20 inches deep, and 3 inch keel, the ordinary moulding not to be included in the measurement of the beam.
21. Dingies not to exceed 15 feet overall. Washboards prohibited.
22. All boats' tonnage to be calculated by the new measurement, and a certificate of their tonnage, under the hand of the proper officer, shall be produced, if required.
23. No person will be admitted on board the flagship without a ticket signed by the Honorary Secretary, and countersigned by a member of the committee.
24. Any race not terminating by 7 p.m. to be run again, under the same regulations, on a future day.
25. Should the weather be deemed unfit for a regatta, a red ensign will be hoisted for an hour at the yard arm, Fort Phillip, from 9 o'clock, and the regatta postponed to a future day.
26. No pulling boat is to attempt to take another boat's water until she is a clear length ahead—a clear length is defined by the stern of one boat being ahead of the stem of the other.
27. Any boat making use of a bailer or rudder in any other than a legitimate manner will be disqualified.
28. In all cases where a second prize is given four boats must start.
29. Three boats to enter and start, or no race.
W. K. CHAPMAN, Hon. Secretary.

THE "EVERGREEN," THE LAST DAY.
324, George-street, near Hunter-street. The public Exhibition of my Picture will CLOSE on SATURDAY, November 8th. The ship "Evergreen" is named after the foliage of the colonies made by joining more than 4000 pieces of the native wood, together; no paint, and only one little bit stained. Come this week, and look at the production, for it is positively the last in Sydney.
On View daily, from 11 till 1, 2 till 5, and from 7 until 9 in the evening.
Admission, 1s.
Yours truly,
JAMES B. DRY.

EXHIBITION BUILDING.
PRINCE OF WALES' BIRTHDAY,
MONDAY, November 10, 1873.
NOVELTY. NOVELTY. NOVELTY.
GRAND PROMENADE
CONCERT AND BALL.
The following talented Artistes will appear during the evening:—
LIZZIE WATSON
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Miss HARRIET GORDON
Mr. J. SKINNER,
and a
HOST OF TALENT.
CONCERT to commence at 8.
GRAND NATIONAL BABY SHOW,
to commence at 9,
for Babies under 2 years of age.
First prize £10
Second prize 5
Third prize 3
These handsome little darlings will represent Sydney and nearly every town in New South Wales.
THE HANDSOMEST BELLE OF THE EVENING will be presented with a purse of £5.
All competitors for this prize must be distinguished by wearing of a pink rosette on the right shoulder.
A Prize of £2 will be given for
THE BEST DRESSED HIGHLANDER.
No entrance fee required for any of the contests.
All entries will be received up to 8 o'clock p.m. on MONDAY, the 10th of November, at the Exhibition Building.
Dancing will be kept up until a late hour.
Doors open at 7, Concert to commence at 8.
The German Band will be in attendance from half-past 8
ADMISSION ONE SHILLING.
ROBERT ANDERSON,
Hon Secretary.

PRINCE OF WALES BIRTHDAY.—SANDRINGHAM HOTEL, George's River.—W. E. RUST begs to inform his friends and the public that he will be provided with Hot and Cold LUNCHEONS on the above day. Boating, fishing, and other amusements.

A FIRST-CLASS String BAND—Harp, Violin, &c.—disengaged. 135, Liverpool-st., near Castlereagh-st.

LODGE, Newtown Kilwinning, No. 378, S.C.—Annual PICNIC will be held at Clontarf, Wednesday, 26th.

PRINCE OF WALES BIRTHDAY.—IVANHOE PARK, Ivanhoe Park, MANLY BEACH.

ROSE v. NORTH SYDNEY C. C.—MONDAY next, Newtown Corner, at 8 o'clock a.m., 3 Browns, Clifford, Aird, Hilder, King, Warner, Outen, Prentice, Johnson, Warner. P. BROWN, Secretary.

MRS. BAILEY.—Quadrille Assembly on MONDAY EVENING. No. 1, Short-street, S. H.

PRIVATE Picnic to Longueville, Monday.—Steamer will leave Milson's Ferry, Circular Quay, at 9 a.m.

THE BURRANGONG PICNIC will take place at Chowder Bay on THURSDAY, the 27th November.
FRANK SMITH.

DANCING.—Mr. J. HALL'S Classes for Pupils, &c., Monday Evening, Oddfellows' Hall, Sussex-street.

EXCURSION TO MANLY BEACH
PRINCE OF WALES BIRTHDAY.
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 10.
Steamers GOOLWA, BREADALBANE, and PHANTOM, from Circular Wharf, at 9.30, calling at Woolloomooloo Bay, and every hour until 2.30. Last trip from Manly Beach, 6 p.m.
FARE.—Return ticket, 1s 6d. Children, 1s.
Dancing in the Ivanhoe Park Pavilion. Brass band engaged.
PIG POUND and POLE CHASE.
THOMAS HESELTON.

WAVERLEY v. WEST END C. C.—Coxon, Wills, Farmlia, F. Vines, Dale, Gealy, Thomas Bacon, Allcock, Marr, Edwards, meet at Waverley Hotel, 11 sharp, on Monday Morning. E. C. WELLER, Sec.

PEARL BAY RECREATION GROUNDS.—Picnic Parties will find every accommodation.

VAUXHALL GARDENS, RANDWICK
PRINCE OF WALES' BIRTHDAY
Music and Dancing. Sports of every kind.
Refreshments town prices.
'Buses every ten minutes.

ROYAL FORESTERS' PICNIC EXCURSION to Penrith, Prince of Wales Birthday. Splendid Band. Dancing and and all kinds of amusements, refreshments at Sydney prices. Tickets—adults, 3s. Children's, 1s 6d. Train leaves goods' shed, Devonshire-st., at a quarter-past 9, and calls at Newtown, and Parramatta Junction.

PRINCE OF WALES' BIRTHDAY
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The BEST STRING BAND in Sydney will play at COOGEE BAY HOTEL on MONDAY next.
Omnibus fare, 6d.

CLONTARF. CLONTARF.
PRINCE OF WALES' BIRTHDAY.
OPENING OF THE GRAND PAVILION.
The proprietors, in returning thanks for the patronage hitherto accorded, beg respectfully to inform their friends and the public that they have completed their arrangements, and hope to meet with a large share of public patronage on this occasion.
CLONTARF is too well known to require any puffing in an advertisement. For romantic scenery and great natural beauty it is unrivalled. Its commanding and extremely pleasing position, combining, as it does, NATURE with convenience, excels anything of the kind in the colony. Its great area, splendid lawn, gigantic and wide spreading trees, magnificent shady nooks, beautiful many retreats, matchless and inviting sea beach, and its never failing supply of pure spring water, has gained for it the sobriquet of the Premier Pleasure Grounds of the Colony.
THE NEW PAVILION,
erected to replace the one lately destroyed by FIRE, is now completed, in the erection of which the comfort of visitors has been looked to, by giving IT EXTENSIVE VENTILATION.
THE SPLENDID FLOOR,
to which special attention has been given, is as smooth as a billiard table, as neither trouble nor expense has been spared to make it the FINEST IN THE COLONIES. Its large area, covering over 10,000 feet offers unequalled accommodation, BEING THE LARGEST IN THE HARBOUR.
In order that everything may be as complete as possible,
Mr. BUDD'S SPLENDID BRASS BAND
is engaged, and will be permanently placed in the pavilion for the day, and play a choice selection of the best Dance MUSIC.
To ensure comfort, the Pavilion will be under the special management of Mr. JAS. CHAMBERS, with a large staff of assistance, who will enforce strict order.
The proprietors are making extensive preparations for a great NATIONAL GATHERING, and as the Picnic is for their Benefit, they hope to meet with a spontaneous response.
Every attention paid to visitors, and great care taken on the embarking and disembarking from steamers.
The steamers Hunter, Kiama, and others, from Circular Quay, from 9.30 a.m., and every half-hour until 2 p.m. Last trip from Clontarf, 6 p.m.
Return, 2s; children, 1s. No hawkers allowed.
N.B.—Smoking strictly prohibited in the Pavilion.
E. W. and T. MOORE, Proprietors.

VIOLIN and HARP disengaged, Prince of Wales Birthday. 4, Albert-place, Pitt-street South.

DANCING.—Mr. W. KING'S Class for pupils and visitors, Monday Evening, New Oddfellows' Hall.

UNDAUNTED v. GLADESVILLE C. C.—MEET at 8.45 a.m. on MONDAY, at the Parramatta River Co.'s Wharf, foot of King-street:—Messrs. Cooke, M'Kenzie, Seale, M'Donald, Putland, C. and W. Eldridge, Anderson, Catthels, O'Connor, Pinnington, Trimble, Wisdom.
J. M'DONALD, Hon. Sec.

TO LET, for 10th November, steamer ECLIPSE, licensed to carry 80 passengers. W. Mills, King-st. W.

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contains:—

The Land	Warwick v. East Sydney, &c.
Application of Sulphur in the Potato Disease	The Defence Force
Ploughing v. Steam Tillage	Shipping Gazette
Working of the Crown Lands' Alienation Act	Editorials
Northern Coast Districts—Land Cultivation at Port Macquarie and the Macleay	Latest Intelligence
Turnip-growing for Winter Feeding	The Week
Farming at Gowrie	Country News from Country Papers
Draft on Wool	Telegraphic by Cable and Overland Line
Reapers and Mowers at the Vienna Exhibition	Local and Intercolonial Telegrams
Poultry — Feeding and Treatment	Law and Police
The Weather and Crops	Insolvency Court
Agricultural Items	Supreme Court
Yass Pastoral and Agricultural Association Medal	Central Police Court
The Government Gazette	The American Exhibition
The Garden	The Parliament
Lectures on Botany	Summary of Proceedings
Botanical Expedition to Northern Queensland	Political
Honolulu	Commercial
Life on a Guano Island	The Mining Record
Natural History	Mining Correspondence
Memorials of Australia and their Classification	Hill End
Presbyterian General Assembly Proceedings	Gulgong and Home Rule
Society Meetings	Bourke
The Royal Society	Tumberumba
The Horticultural Society	Musical Notes
Public Works	London Wool Sales
Sporting and the Field	New Zealand
Racing Chronicle	Tales
Victoria Racing Club—Meeting	Publicans and Sinners: A Life Picture
Australian Jockey Club	Temperance and Education
Aquatics	Light Reading
Rowing Notes, by Halcyon	Poetry — Long Ago — The Home of Temperance
The Chess-Player	The Ladies' Column
Cricket	Paris Fashions, by Stella
Matches to Come	New Styles and Coming Fashions
Cricketing Notes, by Square Leg	Old Clothes
Albert Club v. University	Domestic Economy
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The Members' Presentation Work for this year consists of a very beautiful engraving on steel by William Ridgway, after the painting "THE GOOD-NATURED MAN," by W. P. Frith, R.A. Size of engraved surface, 26 by 17½ inches.
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POSITION DRILL.—At the Victoria Barracks, on the 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, and 7th November, with carbines and sword bayonets
Nos. 1, 2, 4 Batteries at 7 p.m.
Nos. 5 and 6 ditto, at 8 p.m.
TARGET PRACTICE.—On Saturday, the 8th till 14th November, commencing at 2 o'clock on Saturdays, and 6 a.m. on other days.
POSITION DRILL.—As above on the 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, and 14th November.
Nos. 7 and 8 Batteries at 7 p.m.
No. 9 Battery at 8 p.m.
TARGET PRACTICE.—On Saturday, the 15th till 22nd, hours as above.
POSITION DRILL.—As above, on the 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st November.
No. 10 Battery at 7 p.m.
TARGET PRACTICE.—Saturday, 22nd till 29th, hours as above.
By command.
W. B. B. CHRISTIE, Captain,
Major of Brigade.

VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY. — Inspection PARADE POSTPONED till SATURDAY next, 15th instant.
By Order.
CHAS. A. W. LETT,
Captain and Adjutant.

1 CO.—MATCH with 6 Co., This Day, 2.30. White patrol jackets, puggarees. J. CRANNA, Ensign.

NO. 1 HIGHLANDERS.—Members for Maitland meet at H.R.N. Co.'s Wharf. 10.30, undress. Campbell, Capt.

3 CO. RIFLES. — SHOOTING, THIS DAY, 2.30 sharp; bring ammunition. All members invited.

6 BATTERY.—No Parade to-day; postponed to next Saturday, same time and place. H. Deane, Capt.

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BRANDY—Martell's, Jules Robin, low quality, in hogsheads, quarters, and cases; flasks
RUM—Rum, in hogsheads, quarters; Maryboro, 32 to 34 per cent.; rum balm, shrub
WHISKY—Dunville's, bulk and bottle; Scotch and Irish, Stewart's, Brown Bess; Burnett's
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PORTS—In quarters; and low qualities; Masdeu to rich
GINGER wine, Clarets, in case; rum, in cases; limejuice cordial, curaçoa
GROCERIES—Sauces, jams, pickles, Coward's oilmen's stores, salmon, currants, mustard, Melbourne moulds and soap, De Roubaix candles, blue, corn flour, cheese, Queensland arrowroot, Keillor's confectionery, starch, oatmeal, pearl barley; salad oil, castor oil, pints, and half-pints; Sleo, Sleo, and Co.'s vinegar, in bulk; cigars, tobacco, cigarettes, cut tobaccos; Water's casevinegar, curry powder; fine, coarse, rock salt; malt in tanks, Kent, and Tasmanian hops; caustic soda, soda crystals, Swedish matches, plaids, corks, fruits, French meats, soups, spices, Wyatt's oilstores, figs, oysters, raisins, lemon peel, herrings, spices, sago, cocoa, paper; Day and Martin's blacking; white and black pepper, in tins and bags; patés petit pois; hams, cheese, paper bags, assorted sizes; tart. acid, cream tartar, peas, vegetables, nuts, sulphur
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LITTLE WANZER	..	..	5	0	0
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DOLLY VARDEN	..	..	4	10	0
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DEFIANCE	..	..	4	10	0
CLIMAX	..	..	4	5	0
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OUR MELBOURNE LETTER.

TUESDAY, 4TH NOVEMBER.

His Excellency Sir George Bowen started yesterday morning upon the third of his provincial "progresses." Sandhurst has been jealous of Ballarat ever since Sir George visited that city, and enjoyed so much of its hospitality; for, although it cannot compare with its rival in the beauty of its site and surroundings, the palatial character of its buildings, &c., there is no doubt that, of late, it has distanced her considerably in the productiveness of its mines. Sandhurst, therefore, has longed to entertain befittingly her Majesty's representative and Lady Bowen; and, by the delay which has taken place is so far a gainer that she has been able to do the honours to two Governors at once. Sir Hercules and Lady Robinson with Miss Robinson, who are the guests of Sir George Bowen at Toorak, accompanied the party to Sandhurst, and as the weather has been as delightful as could be desired, there is no doubt that everybody will have enjoyed the visit. The only thing to be feared is that the pleasure will be rendered toilsome by the attempt to crowd too much fêting and sight-seeing, dining, and dancing into a couple of short days and a night. I observe that our Governor, as well as the Sandhurst people, made much of Sir Hercules and Lady Robinson, and that they met with a right royal reception.

Mr. Higinbotham last week brought on his resolutions in favour of the Land League's scheme of retaining the freehold of a portion of the public estate, and alienating it only for a term of years, so that the improved value which it is assumed the land would acquire by occupation might accumulate in favour of the State and not of the individual holder. Mr. Higinbotham's speech on the occasion was somewhat inferior to his usual deliverances. It cannot be said to have contained anything new, or anything in fact that has not been better said by the late John Stuart Mill, and a whole host of others. One of his resolutions were this,—"All lands of the Crown in Victoria, wherever situated, may be sold by public auction for any term not exceeding 33 years from the date of such sale, subject to such covenants, conditions, exceptions and reservations as the Governor may direct; provided that all such lands shall be sold at an upset price of £1 per acre, or at such higher price as the Governor may direct, exclusive of any rent that may be received in respect thereof." With all Mr. Casey's advanced land reform notions this was more than he could agree to, and his speech in reply to Mr. Higinbotham was characterised by an amazing amount of good common sense. So far from this scheme leading, in his judgment, to what Mr. Higinbotham desired, the passing of the Crown Lands into the hands of the many instead of the few it would have just the opposite effect. Long purses would acquire large landed estates at auction, whatever precautions might be taken with the view of preventing this. Nor could there be the shadow of a doubt of the lessees bringing such an amount of pressure to bear on Parliament as would enable them to secure the fee simple of the land they held before their leases expired. Their argument, if the proposed system were adopted, would be this:—"All other persons who purchased land before us got the fee simple; others, side by side with us, are getting the fee simple on the free-selection principle; none of these persons paid more for their land than we paid for ours, £1 per acre, and why should they get the fee simple and ours be withheld?" The debate was, with the exception of Mr. Higinbotham's speech, a thoroughly one-sided one, and Mr. Higinbotham did not at its close essay anything in the shape of a reply. A division was notwithstanding insisted upon, and it issued in the rejection of the motion by a majority of 44 votes to 9, Mr. Harker being the only other member of any note voting with Mr. Higinbotham.

The woolgrowers of Victoria adhere to the arrangements made with the woolbrokers and buyers in Melbourne last year, that there shall be no allowance of "draft" on any of their wools. This they signified at a meeting held at Menzie's Hotel, on Thursday last, only six hands being held up against its continuance. After a prolonged discussion, in which some of the brokers took part, on behalf of a renewal of the agreement of last year the chief argument was, that it had been entered into under a belief that the same system would be adopted in England, but as there appeared to be no chance of that being the case for some time to come the brokers and buyers considered themselves released from the obligation of further continuing it. No so the woolgrowers, however, who stood on the equities of the case, and insisted on the London Wool Merchants' Association being taught a lesson on the proper usages of trade. If the Australian woolgrowers gave up the fight now, they would have to give it up for all time to come, and would be exhibiting a reckless disregard of their own interests not at all commendable. As the squatters had by a little combination among themselves reduced the commission allowed to the agents from 2½ per cent. to 1½ per cent., so the allowance of draft might, it was contended by those present at the meeting, be got rid of in the same way.

I mentioned in a former letter that a new interest seemed to be taken in the question of a harbour trust, or some body in whom should be vested full powers to deal with all maritime matters affecting the port and coast line of the colony. During the last week or ten days, this subject has been kept alive by articles and letters on the trusts of Bombay, Calcutta, Auckland, &c., and a discussion has been started on the nature of the duties to be entrusted to any such trust or commission as the one contemplated. The Chamber of Commerce committee partially considered the matter at their last meeting; but the important bearings of the question induced them to leave it over for further discussion next week. In the meantime, the report of a joint sub-committee on which the Chamber, the Shipowners' Association, and the Underwriters' Association has been furnished to each member, in order that he may come to the next meeting the better prepared to deal with the question. This report goes rather fully into the question of amending our local shipping laws, including an extension and reform of the harbour department. It gives a resumè of the provisions of the Passengers, Harbours, and Navigation Statute now in force, and their mode of administration. The report then states briefly the main principles which the sub-committee recommend for adoption, as the basis of future legislation. Instead of the partial and (as the sub-committee seem to think) defective "Marine Board Bill" which the Governments of the past few years have been dangling before the mercantile community without passing it, they propose a bill to create a Marine Department, to be administered by a Commission, one-half of the Board to be nominated by the Governor in Council, and the other half to be elected by the interests chiefly concerned. Their functions would embrace the construction, improvement, and maintenance of lights, harbours, wharfs, docks, &c., the control of the passenger traffic and pilot service, the management of wrecks and salvage, with power to levy the necessary fees, rates, and tolls, to borrow money, and generally to do whatever might be necessary for the effective management of all matters affecting the maritime interests of the colony. The committee are opposed to the Board having any judicial functions. They have always objected to those functions being exercised by the existing Steam Navigation and Pilot Boards. They contend that the Board should see to the conduct of all investigations into shipping accidents or misconduct on the part of captains or officers, but that they should not be prosecutor, judge, and jury all rolled into one. The County Court Judges or police magistrates, assisted by nautical assessors, should, in the opinion of the sub-committee, hear and decide all charges of this character. Of course, it will be necessary for Parliament to sanction any very large undertaking such as the proposed new canal from Melbourne to the bay or the construction of docks; but, when so authorised, the Board would be the executive body to give effect to such undertakings.

Our farmers have been crying out for rain for some time past. This was owing chiefly to the prevalence of strong north winds, which were producing a very injurious effect on the growing crops. In some districts these were beginning to show signs of weakness, and the prospects of even an average crop were fast declining. On old cropped land these symptoms were the most apparent, but they showed themselves also largely on newly broken-up land. Everywhere the dread of one of those dry seasons with which the agricultural districts were visited some years ago were more or less felt. But the weather broke on Friday last, and a heavy downpour of rain was experienced all over the colony. This, of course, has revived the hopes of the farmers, yet not to such an extent as to lead to the anticipation of anything beyond a very moderate harvest. There is nothing, indeed, as the season advances to lead to the belief that more land has been placed under crop this year than was last, notwithstanding the quantity of land which is continually being alienated from the State. The reason may probably be found in the fact that we have not the hands to do it. Looking at the large amount of labour which must necessarily be absorbed by the public works now in progress, it is difficult to see how an extension of agricultural production can be possible without more hands. It was thought that Parliament would probably before it expired give effect to the general conviction of the necessity for the revival of immigration, but it is evident that notwithstanding the change which has come over the opinion of the labouring classes on this subject, members are afraid lest at the general election the old prejudices should be revived, and any action taken now in the direction of a revival of immigration should prejudice their chances of re-election. In the meantime the contractors on all our new railways as well as the farmers are regarding the approaching harvest season with considerable apprehension, for while the former are afraid of losing their men, the latter are conscious of being very much at the mercy of men who are rendered independent by the extensive field of labour open to them in other directions. Wages will undoubtedly rule high, and unless the yields are abundant (which they will not be in a very large proportion of cases) the cost of harvesting will be excessive.

Our boatowners on the Murray say that New South Wales intends to clear the river upwards from Hay to Wagga Wagga, so as to bring the trade to the proposed extension of your southern railway, but that they will stop at that point. Our Inspector-General of Public Works, having been at Echuca a few days ago, the parties interested in the river trade made some strong representations to him upon the necessity of doing something more in the interests of Victoria. They pointed out the great difficulty which masters of vessels now experience in navigating the river, owing to the large amount of fallen timber and snags in it, and how all the trade of those districts is at present with Melbourne, which receives the wool and sends up the fencing wire and stores for the stations. Mr. Wardell promised if these representations were reduced to writing to urge upon this Government the necessity of giving some further assistance to clear the lower part of the river.

The *Economist* is an advocate of the pastoral interest, and we are not therefore greatly surprised to find it supporting its own friends as against the claims of the agriculturists. In a recent number the editor attempts to show the vast superiority of the pastoral over the agricultural interest from the net returns of imports and exports, and he takes the two dates of 1862 and 1872 for the purpose of instituting comparison between the two interests. In effect the article states as follows. At the date of the passing of the Duffy Act in 1862 the net imports of agricultural produce exceeded the net exports by £448,966, and in 1872 the net imports exceeded the net exports by £319,006, that being, comparatively speaking, only a slight reduction. But the net exports of pastoral produce in 1862 exceeded the net imports by £2,336,286, and in 1872 the net exports exceeded the net imports by £8,344,448, which is a very large increase. That certainly is one way of looking at the question, and a very important one, but there is another which should not be disregarded. With our agricultural produce we have been feeding ourselves all that time, whereas our pastoral produce is grain chiefly for export; wool, tallow, hides, and skins being consumed to a very small extent in the colony. After making every allowance, however, the comparison thus instituted is very favourable to the pastoral interest.

The Wimmera "dummy" cases were to have been heard before the Minister of Lands on Wednesday last, but for the convenience of the parties implicated the hearing has been postponed until Tuesday, November 11th. The exact state of affairs with reference to those cases, is that certain large and influential squatters in the Wimmera district have been called upon to show cause why the licences of their runs should not be forfeited for violation of the conditions of the Land Act of 1869. These squatters are in other words charged with having procured sham selectors to take up certain lands in their names, and thus prevent these lands from passing out of their own hands. The evidence adduced in support of this at the late special Board, appointed for that purpose is tolerably conclusive, but the cases were for the most part only heard exparte, some of the squatters having either declined or refused to appear before the Board. There is this, moreover, to be said on behalf of these squatters—that if their licenses are forfeited, there are few other squatters in any part of the colony who should not be similarly dealt with. It is sometimes said that "dummyism" is of a recent date, but that is quite a mistake. Ever since the passing of the Duffy Act of 1862 it has been extensively practised, and the free selectors have had recourse to it just as much as the squatters, although not on so large a scale. Justice requires, therefore, that both classes should be dealt with in the same manner. The offence in the one case should not be punished and in the other winked at. The recent attempt at probing this dummyism to the bottom in the Wimmera district disclosed a difficulty which might in some cases render the investigation of such charges utterly futile. The special Boards appointed by the Minister have no power to compel the attendance of witnesses, or to make them give evidence on oath; and the Land Minister, therefore, introduced a short bill into the Assembly for the purpose of remedying this difficulty and otherwise strengthening his hands. The bill was passed rapidly through all its stages in the Assembly, but the Upper House made short work of it and kicked it out. Their unceremonious treatment of the measure has exposed them to the imputation of sympathy with these violaters of the law and suborners of perjury, although probably their summary rejection of the bill was the simple effect of strong prejudice against the Minister for Lands, whose power they would rather lessen than extend.

A rumour is current that the Home Government have telegraphed to ours to have Mount and Morris rearrested on the charge of murder on the high seas and kidnapping. If true, this shows a determination on the part of the authorities in England to suppress this atrocious traffic; but so far as Mount and Morris are concerned their action is probably too late. They have been smuggled out of the country by their friends, and the secret of their present whereabouts seems to be well kept. If however it becomes generally known that such deeds as those enacted on board the Carl, which have disgraced the name of Englishmen and make us almost ashamed of our common humanity, will in future meet with the retribution which they deserve at the hands of the British Government, it may strike terror into the men who would be guilty of similar crimes.

OUR BRISBANE LETTER.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5.

YESTERDAY, the elections commenced by the nomination of candidates in twenty-one out of the forty-two constituencies created by the new Act, viz., in the districts of Toowoomba, Aubigny, Warwick, Dalby, Darling Downs, Carnarvon, Maranoa, Balonne, Warrego, Maryborough, Gympie, Port Curtis, Normanby, Leichhardt, Springsure, Clermont, Mitchell, Bowen, Kennedy, Ravenswood, and Burke. Your readers may, perhaps, be aware that hustings nominations have been dispensed with in this colony, and that candidates are now proposed by forwarding a document to the returning-officer by 6 o'clock on the evening before the nomination, enclosing the name of the candidate, and the sum of £20. The proposition must be made by at least six electors, and the candidate must also signify his consent in writing. As may be imagined, the excitement which formerly attended the appearance of an aspirant for Parliamentary honours before the "free and independent" electors whose votes he was wooing, has become, with us, a thing of the past. The returning-officer merely has to announce that such and such candidates have been proposed, and, if there be no opposition, declare him elected. If the candidates be present, of course they can make speeches if they choose, and without the probability of encountering a few rotten eggs, or other savoury missiles.

Seven out of the electorates enumerated above have chosen their members without a contest. The Premier (the Hon. A. H. Palmer) has been returned by his old constituents at Port Curtis; Mr. E. Wienholt has been re-elected for the Darling Downs; Mr. James Morgan for Warwick; Mr. John Scott (late Chairman of Committees), for Springsure; Mr. T. H. Fitzgerald, formerly Colonial Treasurer, and one of the framers of the Land Act of 1868, for Bowen; Mr. Oscar de Satgé for Normanby; and Mr. E. M. Royds to his old seat for the Leichhardt. Mr. Palmer is the only Minister yet returned. His colleagues, the Hon. J. P. Bell and the Hon. C. J. Graham, will have to fight for their seats in Dalby and Clermont respectively, although their prospects of success seem assured. Mr. W. H. Walsh, the ex-Minister for Works, has addressed the electors of Bandamba (near Ipswich), but he has also been proposed for his old constituency at Maryborough. The Hon. R. Pring will, it is believed, carry the new electorate of Carnarvon, which includes the Stanthorpe tin mines, against his only opponent. In some of the other electorates there will be a very warm contest, especially at Gympie, Aubigny, Toowoomba, Dalby, Maranoa (where the struggle will be heightened by warm personal feeling), and at Ravenswood, where Mr. M'Devitt, late member for the Kennedy, will have to do his best to win. The nominations for the metropolitan and other populous constituencies do not come off for another week or so, South Brisbane being the last of all, on the 28th instant.

The expedition sent up to the Endeavour River to try and discover a road to the Palmer, under the command of Mr. Howard St. George, Gold Commissioner, has made some progress. By way of Cardwell, the Minister for Works heard, yesterday, that the party effected a landing at the Endeavour on the 25th ultimo—men, horses, and stores being disembarked without accident. Leaving a survey party to lay out a township at what is called Cook's Landing (the spot where Captain Cook careened his vessel in 1770), Mr. St. George intended to push on at once for the Palmer, leaving about 100 diggers in his wake. Mr. St. George strongly deprecates the arrival of any more diggers en route for the Palmer until the end of the rainy season. No horses or other means of carriage are procurable, and the weather threatened to break up when the information was forwarded. From gentlemen acquainted with the district between the Etheredge and Junction Creek and beyond it, I learn that during the rainy season the country is under water for miles, and that it is utterly impossible to travel. On the line of telegraph to the Gulf the department keep several galvanized iron boats, so that the floods should not prevent the repair of the line in case of a break-down.

Speaking of the telegraph lines reminds me of the significant fact that, since the reduction in the scale of charges, which came into effect a few weeks ago, the work of the department has increased enormously; in Brisbane to the extent of 100 messages per diem. This shows that the public appreciate the advantages afforded by the wire, and that it is a mistaken policy to bar them from the use of it by maintaining a high rate of charges.

A sale took place yesterday by auction which excited a large amount of interest. The *Brisbane Courier*, with its weekly issue, the *Queenslander*, were disposed of, together with the job-printing office connected with the affair. Some disagreement between the shareholders of the company was the cause of the sale, but they have every reason to be satisfied with the result. The property (including copyrights, book debts, &c.) realised £13,600 cash, the purchaser being Mr. W. Baynes, of South Brisbane, one of the former proprietors. The *Courier* is the oldest newspaper in the colony. Founded in 1846, as a weekly, it became a bi-weekly in 1857, a tri-weekly in 1859, and a daily in 1861. The hon. the Premier, who was one of the former proprietors, was one of the bidders.

People here are "exercising" themselves very much in discussions as to the proposed site of the railway terminus, that fixed upon being considered, as it undoubtedly is, most inconvenient. It is a long distance from the central and business portion of the city, and close to the Grammar School, and to approach it some sharp curves have to be made, one of which involves taking a pretty considerable slice off one corner of the gaol wall. The engineers say that it is impracticable to bring the line into the heart of the city, because the trains would have to run down an incline into the city; but it has been suggested that this objection could be overcome by demolishing the Courthouse (the ancient convict barrack) in Queen-street, and building the terminus on the site. If constructed as proposed, the terminus will almost be as inconveniently situated as the old station in Sydney. The line is progressing very favourably along its course, and the "deviation" at Ipswich, by which a saving of three miles will be effected, is being rapidly pushed forward.

Rain, which has been threatening for some time but does not fall, is very badly wanted indeed.

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LAW.

SUPREME COURT.—FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7.

SITTINGS FOR TRIAL OF CAUSES.

BANCO COURT.

BEFORE Mr. Justice CHEEKE and a jury of four.

TURTON V. ENGLAND.

This was an action to recover a balance alleged to be due upon a contract for plastering buildings owned by defendant, and which contract, it was averred, the latter had not allowed the plaintiff to complete. There were pleas that the defendant did not contract, that the plaintiff did not complete within the stipulated time, &c. The trial was commenced yesterday, and it was now resumed and concluded.

Mr. Pilcher, instructed by Messrs. Holdsworth and Brown, appeared for the plaintiff; Mr. Henry Stephen and Mr. Rogers, instructed by Mr. W. Hellyer, for the defendant.

The plaintiff, Mr. James Turton, who had been in the trade for some 38 years, had contracted with the defendant, Mr. John England, for the plastering of certain houses belonging to the latter, and situate in South Head Road. A written agreement dated January 13th last was drawn out and executed. Under this the plaintiff was to receive payment according to a scale of charges fixed at per yard for the amount of labour done. The contract was to be completed in a workmanlike manner by the 17th March ensuing; and there was to be a penalty of £9 per week for any delay except through bad weather or holidays. As a matter of fact the work admittedly was not only not finished by the date stipulated, but even on May 9th it was not completed. There was on that day the plastering under the staircases to be put on; but the stairs had not been built. However, the defendant would not allow the work to be proceeded with any further, but told the plaintiff to "clear out," threatening that if he continued on the premises any longer he would be charged rent. The delay was accounted for on the score that there had been a stoppage of seven days in the month of February through bad weather, as also in April; and further loss of time through the plaintiff not being supplied with materials. Credit was given to the defendant for £148; by £140 in cash and about £8 for goods. The balance outstanding and now claimed was £62 12s. 1d., but upon investigation this was admissedly further reduced to £49 11s. 4d. As to the penalty clause there was an utter conflict between the parties. The plaintiff swore positively that the defendant had inserted it in the agreement without his knowledge or consent; while the defendant, on the other hand, averred that prior to the execution of the document he told plaintiff distinctly that there must be a penalty for delay, naming £9 per week as a fair sum—to which Turton consented. As regarded the amount in dispute, the question was purely one of account, as to the legitimacy of the charges, and there was a good deal of evidence upon both sides. There was some attempt to show that the plaintiff had used language indicative of a malignant design to put the defendant to expense and be revenged upon him; and the defendant himself complained very bitterly of the manner in which he had been treated. Evidence was also adduced that plaintiff had made needless delays, and had unnecessarily protracted the work. But upon this, as upon most of the other points, there was counter testimony. The case was void of interest to the general public.

His HONOR directed the jury that two questions would arise for their consideration; one under the contract, and the other under the money counts. It appeared to him that the plaintiff was entitled to remuneration for the work and labour done up to May 9th, although that was an excess of the time specified in the contract; for, as the work was progressing up to that date, and the defendant had only then interfered, it must be presumed that there had been an acquiescence so far. Then the question that arose was, to what amount the plaintiff was entitled? and if the jury believed the defendant's evidence that £138 was sufficient to cover the charges, there was no doubt that over that amount had been paid. There were, however, charges for extras. These points were mere questions of credibility between the parties, both of whom appeared to be men of respectability and experience. The jury must take into consideration the skilled evidence adduced on both sides as to the fairness of the charges, and decide thereupon.

The jury, after a consultation of upwards of an hour, found for the plaintiff, awarding him £19 4s. 6d.

The question of costs was reserved.

MURRAY V. EMMETT AND ANOTHER.

This was an action for the recovery of damages in respect of certain false and fraudulent representations alleged to have been made by the defendants, and in consequence of which the plaintiff was induced to take shares in "The Golden Note Gold Mining Company, Limited." The plaintiff was Mr. James Sinclair Murray, and the defendants were Messrs. Edward N. Emmett and Henry M'Crummin Keightley.

Sir James Martin, Q.C., and Mr. Davis, instructed by Messrs. Levy and De Lissa, appeared for the plaintiff; Mr. Henry Stephen and Mr. Darley, instructed by Messrs. Stephen and Stephen, for the defendants.

Jury: Mr. Thomas James Palser, of 660, George-street, Sydney; Mr. James Partridge, of 448, Castlereagh-street, Sydney; Mr. Charles Pitt, of 496, George-street, Sydney; and Mr. Joseph Gates Plummer, of 113, South Head Road.

The declaration, which, at some length was set forth that the defendants and divers other persons to the plaintiff unknown had been possessed of, or interested in, a case of twenty-two acres of land, in the district of Wellington, and had agreed together to form a certain company, called "The Golden Note Gold Mining Company Limited," for the purpose of mining for gold in quartz on such land; that they prepared and published a prospectus proposing that the capital should be 20,000 shares of £1 each; that £2000 cash and 8000 paid-up shares should be reserved for proprietors; that 12,000 shares should be offered to the public, 2s. 6d. to be paid on application, and 2s. 6d. upon allotment. And it was averred that such 12,000 shares were actually so offered, and that the defendants and the other persons unknown, with intent to defraud, deceive, and injure the public and such as might become purchasers, and to induce the public to purchase, falsely and fraudulently represented in and by such prospectus that the company was being formed to mine an apparently extraordinarily rich deposit of gold in quartz upon the land before mentioned; that such land included in its boundary a certain lease called the Golden Note Lease of two acres, then just secured by two prospectors, which two acres appeared to be wonderfully rich, indicated by the surface crop of the stone; that 400 yards from the rich find by the aforesaid prospectors and along the line of reef in the company's ground south there was another large crop of stone, indicating that the reef ran the entire length of 736 yards; that the golden stone commenced from the surface; that many tons of good stone were available at the surface at once for crushing; that there were then already about six tons of golden stone raised, and bags of richer specimens; that, in fact, there were then on the surface, and easily got for crushing, from thirty to fifty tons of stone, without sinking five feet, which might be fairly estimated to go 5 oz. to the ton; that the alluvial for surfacing and cement lying about the blow would go 1 oz. to the ton; that a shaft through blue slate rock, and then in thirty feet, would strike the reef on its western underlie; that the alluvial diggings in that neighbourhood had proved very rich; that the Mitchell's Creek Company's machine was about 2½ miles distant from the ground leased by the Golden Note Gold Mining Company (limited), north-east; that previous to the early days of the gold-fields a man named M'Gregor was known to have taken at different periods metal, not then supposed to be gold, from the locality of the last mentioned lease; that that was the place where Stackbury, the geologist, pronounced rich gold would be found; that there was no question as to the company's ground, so far as seen, being very rich, and above the average; that there was no apparent difficulty in having a dividend the first crushing, and, finally, that a small crushing would give 300 oz. of gold. Whereas all such representations were false and fraudulent, as defendants then well knew; and the plaintiff was thus induced to apply for and accept 2500 shares at £1 per share, and to pay on account of such shares the sum of £625, being 2s. 6d. per share on application, and 2s. 6d. per share on allotment, which amount he lost, and the use thereof, for a long time, besides being put to expense in and about the purchase, and proving the falsehood of such representations. There was also a common count for money had and received. Damages were laid at £1000. The defendants pleaded, firstly, not guilty; and (as to the second count) that they never were indebted.

The case was opened, but the evidence was not commenced.

JURY COURT.

Before Mr. Justice FAUCETT and a jury of four.

BUBB V. THE MAYOR, &C., OF SYDNEY.

This was an action by Mr. John Bubb, ironfounder, against the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the city of Sydney, for the recovery of a sum alleged to be due for certain iron work. The declaration contained common counts for goods sold and delivered, &c. Damages were laid at £600. The defendants pleaded firstly, as to a sum of £12 7s. 1d., never indebted; secondly, as to the residue claimed, satisfaction and discharge by payment before action; and thirdly, £12 7s. 1d. was brought into Court as sufficient to cover the plaintiff's claim. The plaintiff accepted the money brought into Court as satisfaction for so much; and joined issue as to the other pleas.

Mr. Darley and Mr. Salomons, instructed by Messrs. Allen, Bowden, and Allen, appeared for the plaintiff; Sir James Martin, Q.C., and Mr. Davis, instructed by Mr. R. Driver, for the defendants.

Jury: Mr. Adam Newton, of 30, King-street, Sydney; Mr. Stephen Nutter, of Pitt-street, Redfern; Mr. Thomas O'Neill, of 232, Albion-street; Mr. Robert Warnor, of John-street, Woollahra.

The claim made by the plaintiff was in respect of twelve 24-inch pipes supplied by him to the City Corporation for the Botany Waterworks; and the only question was, whether he was entitled to payment according to one schedule of his contract or another. The amount paid by the Municipal Council was £111 3s. 5d., besides a sum of £12 7s. 1d., brought into Court; but it was maintained that the plaintiff was entitled to a further balance of £452 18s. 1d. In the year 1871, the Corporation advertised for tenders for the supply of ironwork to them between December 31st, 1871, and December 31st, 1873. Bubb's tender was accepted, and he accordingly entered upon the contract. In June, 1872, he received an order for twelve 24-inch pipes for the dams. These were duly supplied; and there appeared to be no question that plaintiff had done everything requisite in the manufacture, and with regard to quality, &c. The only point at issue was as to the mode of payment; whether it should be on the highest scale, 10½d. per pound, or the lowest, £12 per ton. A preliminary objection was taken that as the plaintiff's account had not been certified for payment by the City Engineer, as to the items of work done and the items of charges according to the contract, he was not entitled to lay his claim. The plaintiff, however, relied upon a certificate by the City Engineer that the work had been done; it being contended that that officer could not be supposed to have power vested in him to determine whether the plaintiff was entitled to payment under one schedule or another.

His HONOR, upon hearing counsel on both sides, held that the nonsuit must issue. The condition distinctly was that the accounts must be certified before payment. This appeared to be an enormous power to place in the hands of one person; but, if the contracting parties had been content to agree to it, they must be satisfied. The reason for such a stipulation appeared obvious. The Corporation were ignorant of the nature and value of the work they required; and therefore, with the consent of the contractor, a particular person was appointed to examine into the accounts, and upon his certificate that such accounts were correct, they would be paid. A mere certificate that the work had been done was insufficient. If such a certificate as was requisite was improperly refused, there would appear to be fraud; but it was clear that the plaintiff could not recover without such certificate.

The plaintiff therefore was nonsuited; but leave was reserved to move the full Court as to the correctness of the learned Judge's decision.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COURT.

FRIDAY.

BEFORE Mr. District Court Judge SIMPSON.

CA. SA. MOTIONS.

Several *ca. sa.* motions, re-hearings, and two interpleader cases were heard and disposed of.

WHITING V. BAKER.

Claim for goods sold and delivered. Plaintiff nonsuited.

DOWNES V. CARRUTHERS.

Claim for rent. Verdict for plaintiff, 18s.

DOWNES V. CHAPMAN.

Claim for rent. Verdict for plaintiff, 16s.

M'GARVIE V. KRAUSS.

Plaintiff sued to recover £4 10s., for wages. Defendant paid £1 into Court in full satisfaction of plaintiff's claim. Plaintiff claimed for three weeks' wages at £1 10s. per week, but defendant denied that any engagement for a specified sum had been entered into. Verdict for plaintiff for £2 over the amount paid into Court. Mr. Shepherd for plaintiff, Mr. Oliver for defendant.

KERRIGAN V. FITZGIBBON.

Action to recover damages for injury done to a child. It appeared that on the 9th August a child belonging to plaintiff was crossing York-street, when it stumbled and fell. Defendant was driving along in a dray close to the spot, and a wheel of his dray passed over the child's foot. There was evidence given by a constable that he called out to defendant to stop, but that he took no notice of the warning. Plaintiff was non-suited, on the ground that a father could not recover for injuries done to his child, unless he could show loss of service, which could not be done in this case, the child being of tender years. Mr. Russell Jones for plaintiff, Mr. P. J. Hourigan for defendant.

YATES V. BURNS.

Claim for injury done to a boat. Verdict for plaintiff, £2 10s. Mr. Carroll for defendant.

WOOLCOTT V. HODDLE.

Action to recover commission on the sale of a public-house. Plaintiff non-suited. Mr. Levy for plaintiff, Mr. Russell Jones for defendant.

NIGHTINGALE V. HODDLE.

Claim for rent. Verdict for plaintiff, one guinea. Mr. Levy for plaintiff; Mr. Russell Jones for defendant.

GROGAN V. VOTE.

This was a claim for rent incurred by the deceased husband of defendant. It was set up in defence that defendant was not executrix, and that there were no assets in her deceased husband's estate. His Honor found a verdict for plaintiff in the sum of £6 13s. 4d., to be levied *de bonis testatoris, &c., et si non, de bonis propriis*. Mr. Russell Jones for plaintiff, Mr. Pilcher for defendant.

TINSLEY V. STEENSON.

Action for slander and assault. Verdict for defendant.

HOBBS V. SMITH.

This was an action to recover calls on shares, under a covenant in the deed, in the Little Dorrit Gold Mining Company. The usual technical objections were taken. Verdict for plaintiff, £2 10s. Mr. G. J. Sly for plaintiff, Mr. Pilcher for defendant.

HOBBS V. WATKIN.

Action to recover calls upon shares in the Cornucopia Gold Mining Company, under a covenant in the deed, as in the last case. Plaintiff non-suited. Mr. G. J. Sly for plaintiff, Mr. T. B. Rolin for defendant.

TIFFIN V. BOUFFIER.

The plaintiff claimed £10 damages for the detention of a cow. The defendant proved that the cow was delivered to him in his capacity of a drover, and that he took her to a grazing run and left her for agistment, where, without neglect on the part of the agister (Mr. Marks), she died. His Honor found for the defendant. Mr. M'Kinlay for plaintiff, Mr. C. S. Jones for defendant.

INSOLVENCY COURT.

FRIDAY.

BEFORE the CHIEF COMMISSIONER.

IN THE ESTATE OF JOHN MUIR.

This was a third meeting. Adjourned to the 21st instant. No debts were proved.

IN THE ESTATE OF EDWARD IRELAND.

A third meeting. Two debts were proved, and the Commissioner directed a private sale in accordance with the proposal contained in the report of the official assignee.

IN THE ESTATE OF JAMES COCHRANE.

A first meeting. Two debts were proved, and the meeting closed.

IN THE ESTATE OF CORLIES L. THROCKMORTON.

A first meeting. Two debts were proved, and the meeting terminated.

IN THE ESTATE OF JAMES P. OWEN.

A third meeting, adjourned from the 5th instant. No debts were proved, and the meeting closed.

SURRENDERS.

Henry Parker, of Bowling Alley Point, miner. Liabilities, £88 8s. 8d. Assets, £6 10s. Mr. Humphery, official assignee.

Archibald Hector M'Eachern, of Hill End, miner. Liabilities, £190 1s. 2d., of which £17 5s. 6d. is secured. Assets, £76. Mr. Humphery, official assignee.

MEETINGS OF CREDITORS.

Saturday, November 8.—Holiday.

Monday, November 10, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner; John Campbell, special meeting, for examination of insolvent and witnesses. Holiday.—The special meeting appointed for this day will stand over to Tuesday, the 11th November instant.

Monday, November 10, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: Alexander M'Millan, first and only meeting, at Mudgee; Michael James Dowery, first and only meeting, at Mudgee; Gee Wah, first and only meeting, at Goulburn.

Tuesday, November 11.—Before the Chief Commissioner: John Campbell, adjourned special meeting, for examination of insolvent and witnesses.

Wednesday, November 12, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Henry Edward Stokes, third meeting; the New South Wales Distillery Company (limited), third meeting; George James Hickinbottom and James Caplin, third meeting; Elizabeth Caldwell, first and only meeting; Henry Freeman, first and only meeting; John Bernasconi, first and only meeting; Edmund Denis Cleary, first meeting; Charles Cable and Henry Coates Tickle, first meeting; Francis John Kelly, first meeting.

Wednesday, November 12, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: James Everingham, first and only meeting, at Wingham, Manning River.

Thursday, November 13, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Edward Denis Cleary, adjourned examination from the 4th instant.

Friday, November 14, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Charles Gotthold Lessing, adjourned single from the 15th of August last, Louis Richard Saillard, first and only meeting; Hugh Brodie, first and only meeting; Philip Thomas Baker, first and only meeting; Joseph Glading, first and only meeting; Corlies Lloyd Throckmorton, second meeting; William Treen, second meeting; Francis Bell, first meeting; Robert Condell, first meeting.

Monday, November 7, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: Benjamin Smith, first and only meeting, at Mudgee; Cornelius M'Cosker, first and only meeting, at Scone.

Tuesday, November 18, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: William Dugan, first and only meeting, at Tamworth; James Cockrane, second meeting, at Wagga Wagga.

Wednesday, November 19, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Molyneux Henry Dickinson Nepean, first and only meeting; Edmund Denis Cleary, second meeting; Charles Cable and Henry Coates Tickle, second meeting.

Wednesday, November 19, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: Thomas Fletcher, first and only meeting, at Newcastle; Francis John Kelly, second meeting, at Glen Innes.

APPLICATIONS FOR CERTIFICATES, &C., &C.

Tuesday, November 11, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Thomas Henry Dawson, Samuel Ring, James Wilson, John Cassidy, James Cooper, James Sherwood, William Olive, adjourned from the 14th ultimo; Montague Murray, adjourned from the 14th ultimo; James Colley, adjourned from the 21st ultimo; Alexander Cameron, adjourned from the 21st ultimo; William Hurst, adjourned from the 28th ultimo; John Nicholas Bradley, adjourned from the 28th ultimo.

Tuesday, November 18, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: John Field, William Thomas Woolley, Robert Burns, adjourned from the 4th instant; Edmund Ireland, adjourned from the 4th instant; Walter Davis, adjourned from the 4th instant.

COURT BUSINESS.

Thursday, November 13, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: For ratification or otherwise of direction of creditors in the estate of Cornelius Duggan, and Stephen Boyle. Plans of distribution for confirmation in the following estates:—1st, estate of William Lever, showing a dividend of 6s. 11 13-16d. in the £ on concurrent proofs, and paying the preferential proofs in full; 2nd, estate of Henry Lionel Alexander, a dividend of 8s. 2 2-7d. in the £ on concurrent proofs; 3rd, estate of James Colley, a dividend of 6d. per £ upon concurrent proofs, and payment in full of preferent proofs; 4th, estate of Robert Taylor, a dividend of 1s. 10 1-8d. per £ on proved concurrent debts; 5th, estate of Patrick Doherty, a dividend of 5s per £ on proved concurrent debts; 6th, estate of William Clarke Hodgkinson, a dividend of 2d. per £ on proved concurrent debts; 7th, estate of Samuel Bell, a second plan, dividend 2d. per £; 8th, estate of John Joseph Roberts, a second account with plan, dividend 1 9-13d. in the £. Estates in arrear:—Official assignees to be heard thereon.

In the Supreme Court of New South Wales.

In Insolvency.

Friday, 7th November, 1873.

As Monday, 10th instant, has been appointed a holiday, the matter entered for that day will stand over to Tuesday, the 11th day of November instant.

GEORGE HIBBERT DEFFELL,

Chief Commissioner of Insolvent Estates.

CENTRAL POLICE COURT.

FRIDAY.

BEFORE Messrs. Jolly, Reading, S. Goold, G. Hill, Fowler, and Smart.

Nine persons were fined for having been found drunk in public places.

John Dunn was taken into custody by constable Thomas, who found him drunk on the platform of the railway station, and was for his offence fined 5s.

Edward Rochester was given into custody by the master at the Sydney Railway Station for being drunk on those premises, and was fined 20s.

Sidwell Prendergast, a vagrant, found drunk in Elizabeth-street, was sentenced to be imprisoned three months.

Two prisoners were dismissed.

On the summons paper were fourteen cases, of which one was dismissed, another postponed, and four were not prosecuted. In Falke v. Cousens, for assault, Mr. Roberts appeared for complainant, and Mr. H. Driver for defendant, who pleaded guilty. Complainant, in explanation, stated that in an auction room, some words having previously passed in another place, the defendant struck him a blow which knocked him upon a box, a projecting nail in which injured his eye, the mark of which is yet visible. To pay a penalty of 20s., with 21s. for professional costs. In Lyle v. Lyle, a proceeding under the Deserted Wives Act, an order was made for payment of 9s. a week for complainant's separate maintenance. On the prosecution of the Inspector of the Society for the Suppression of Cruelty to Animals, Charles Bailey was charged with having ill-treated a horse by driving him while having sores upon his side, and, pleading guilty, was sentenced to pay a penalty of 5s. Michael Craney was fined 20s., and Agnes Brown and Edwin Ellison 10s. each, for breaches of the Redfern Municipal by-laws. In Gouldthorpe v. Collins, illegal detention of property, complainant obtained an order. John Poger was fined 1s. for trespassing upon enclosed land for the purpose of removing soil therefrom.

LICENSING BUSINESS.—Permission was given for the removal of the license of Sir John Young Hotel from William-street to a house situated at the corner of George-street and Park-street.

WATER POLICE COURT.

FRIDAY.

BEFORE the Water Police Magistrate, with Messrs. Lester, and Wynne.

Several persons were fined for drunkenness.

Blanche Larkin, 14, given into custody, charged with stealing a piece of embroidery and a pocket handkerchief, valued at 10s., the property of Sarah Lake, a fellow servant, was found guilty, and was ordered to pay a penalty of 20s. with the alternative of seven days' imprisonment.

Emanuel Wright, 16, was brought before the Court by senior-constable Pirie, charged with stealing a purse containing £44, the property of William Smith. It appears that prosecutor is the contractor for some buildings which are being erected in Liverpool-street, and whilst looking over the work he left his coat in one of the rooms. Prisoner who was employed on the buildings, stole the purse out of prosecutor's coat pocket, and spent £2 before he was arrested. The bench remanded prisoner for a week.

William Smith who was dealt with for drunkenness was also charged with breaking a square of glass valued at 10s., the property of N. J. Booth. Prisoner was ordered to pay the amount of damage done, in default to be sent to gaol for four days.

James Donnelly, 13, was brought before the Court by Water Police constable Skinner, charged with stealing lead from off the stores occupied by Mr. A. Hinchcliffe. The prisoner was remanded until to-morrow.

Margaret Jack was charged on warrant with stealing sundry articles valued at 5s., the property of William Henry Lathbury. Prisoner pleaded guilty and was sentenced to three months' imprisonment.

SUMMONS SHEET.—The summons sheet contained eleven cases, in which the informations were laid by inspector Oram. The charges against John Rath, James Murphy, and Michael Kerins, for plying for hire without a license, were withdrawn on payment of 5s. costs. John Flanagan, for a like offence, was fined 40s. and 5s. costs. The other cases were postponed.

LICENSING BUSINESS.—The license of the Durham Hotel, Upper William-street, was transferred from John M'Master to Thomas Taylor.

THE TWO HOUSES

THE old dispute has once more revived. The Chief Secretary has stated that in any circumstances the reform of the Council will be the leading question submitted at the general election to the constituencies. Violent language has been used by leading members of the Assembly, even by those who on its merits were hostile to the Electoral Bill. Everything betokens a coming disturbance in the political atmosphere. These indications are the more significant because the immediate cause is really of little moment. We have already said that, whatever opinion we may hold of its prudence, the action of the Council in dealing with the Electoral Bill was strictly justifiable. The bill was one which involved grave constitutional changes. It was opposed in the Lower House by a party not perhaps numerically strong, but from its character and intelligence deserving of respect. There was reason to believe that the Government was not unanimous upon the matter; and on one occasion a prominent member of the Ministry actually divided against his colleagues. There was no strong opinion in favour of the measure out of doors. On the contrary the public mind was by no means reassured by the first effect of the bill, the swarm of would-be petty politicians engendered in every township by the combined action of the small constituencies and the payment of members. In these circumstances the Council might well ask for a reconsideration of the subject. We suppose that not even the most advanced reformer has ever desired, if the Council is all to exist, to take away its suspensory veto. Yet this power is all that the Council has now exercised. The occasion is assuredly not one of those occasions on which a recourse to extreme measures can be justified, nor do we think that the public will make a revolution for the sake of allowing municipal councillors and local stump orators to scramble among themselves for £300 a year. A very little sense and a very little temper ought to suffice for the adjustment of this dispute.

It is impossible, however, to shut our eyes to the fact that this explosion has little relation to the mere exciting cause but indicates a deep-seated dissatisfaction. It is certain that our Houses do not work so harmoniously as they ought. We may, indeed, extend the observation to the other Australian colonies. Even in England the position of the House of Lords is becoming uneasy, and within the last few years its relation to the other House has changed clearly for the worse. On the contrary, if we look at the other great division of our race, we shall find a singular contrast. On the continent of North America there are a multitude of States, of the same race and the same language as ourselves, and with institutions generally similar, in all material respects, to our own. In every one of these States there are two Legislative Chambers. In every one of these States these two Legislative Chambers appear to work, and for many years to have worked, in perfect harmony and with complete success. How are we to account for these differences? We are not less loyal to our laws, or less competent to administer them, than our kinsmen in Canada or the United States. It must be, therefore, in the institutions themselves that we are to look for the cause of our want of success.

We have said that the two great divisions of English-speaking States agree in having two Legislative Chambers, but both in the structure and in the functions of those Chambers they differ materially. In America, subject to the exceptions we shall presently notice, the two Houses spring from the same, or practically the same, source, and differ merely in their numbers and their terms of office. In England and her colonies, on the contrary, the origin of each House is different. In some cases there is for the Upper House no election, and when there is election the constituencies are made as different from those of the Lower House as possible. This difference, as in our case, is usually between property and numbers. Again, in America the legislative functions of the two Houses are similar, and both Houses possess co-ordinate powers on every, or almost every, kind of bill. In England and Australia, as we know, the Upper House is rigorously prohibited from interfering with money bills. It is needless to trace the causes of this difference. The fact and the effects of that fact are plain. The difference in origin leads to antagonism, and the difference of function leads to an undue pretension of superiority. If, therefore, we wish to get rid of these evils, we must pass from the mere symptoms to their predisposing causes. The Parliament of Canada and the Congress of the United States are not the best American examples for our purpose. The Dominion and the States are great confederations, and their Senates are formed in the one case by nomination, and in the other by representation of the component states in their corporate capacities. But of all the separate States of the Union, we believe that we are correct in asserting that the two Houses are elected by the same constituency, or, at all events, by almost the same constituency, and that they differ merely in the Upper House being a smaller body and sitting for a longer term. But both in the Parliament of Canada and in its separate local legislatures, and in Congress, and in the several States, the two Houses stand on the same footing as to the amendment of money bills. We have examined the constitution of 31 American States as they existed in 1854. In 12 of these both Houses may originate money bills. In all of them both Houses may amend money bills. In all of them, as we have already said, the structure of the two Houses is in all essential respects similar. In all of them the system of two Houses is a complete success. That it is a success is proved by the fact that every old State retains the system, and that every newly formed State adopts it. We are not aware of any case in which an American State has even tried a single Chamber, except that of Pennsylvania, many years ago, and there the practice was quickly discontinued. Surely these facts are matter for grave reflection. Before we condemn our system of two Houses, let us at least try it under the conditions in which it has elsewhere given universal satisfaction.—*Australasian*.

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PRESBYTERIAN GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

NINTH SESSION.

FIFTEENTH SEDERUNT.—The Assembly was opened in the usual form at 10.30, in the Phillip-street Church. The whole time of the sitting, after the minutes had been adopted, was taken up, until the Assembly adjourned at 1 o'clock, with the further consideration of a case of discipline, which has occupied the attention of the members during nearly the whole of the session.

SIXTEENTH SEDERUNT.—The sitting was opened by prayer.

The Rev. Dr. STEEL said that he wished to say a few words about the speech of last night on academical degrees. He had not heard it, and he had not imagined till he saw the *Herald* of that morning, that a particular case had been referred to. He would, with their permission, read a letter bearing on that particular case. This letter, as read by Dr. Steel, dated October 1st, 1861, stated that the University of Erlangen, satisfied with the papers which the gentleman to whom the letter was addressed (Dr. Beg), had sent, "had granted to him the degree of Doctor of Medicine." It was further mentioned that the diploma would be printed and forwarded to Dr. Beg immediately after the receipt of the fees, amounting to £22. He (Dr. Steel) simply desired to put the Assembly in possession of the facts of the case, that Dr. Beg had passed through the regular course of medical study prescribed by the Act of the Imperial Parliament. It had been said that Dr. Beg had not sent the fees for the diploma, and therefore had not got it. But that circumstance did not alter the fact of the action of the University of Erlangen, and he must confess that he believed that many of those who held degrees, and were publicly credited with them, had neglected to pay the fees necessary before the receipt of their diploma. Seeing the statement in the *Herald* he had felt bound, as a matter of courtesy to Dr. Beg, to make this public explanation.

The Clerk of the Assembly then read a letter which he said was not received in such time as would permit of its being read before the Assembly in the forenoon. *It was* from the Rev. Adam Thomson, declining the position to which he had been on the previous day elected—that of one of the members of the Theological Faculty.

The Rev. MODERATOR then read the following closing address:—

Fathers and Brethren,—As the business of this General Assembly is now concluded, it falls to me to address you in a few parting words. Various matters of vital moment to the spiritual welfare of this Church have been under consideration—the extension of the Church throughout the colony, the propagation of Christianity among the heathen, and the training of a native ministry, have received a due share of attention. I have great pleasure in bearing my humble testimony to the admirable spirit in which all our discussions have been conducted. There has been the utmost freedom of debate, combined with the keenest interest in the subjects discussed—a combination as rare as it is commendable. However wide our differences in opinion, and however warm our feelings with respect to them may be, our Church will receive no injury if the same spirit prevail. Permit me to add, however, that much time has been wasted on questions of order or of trifling importance. Perhaps for this I have been most to blame. Ignorance or doubt as respecting the application of our rules may have caused this in a considerable degree on my part, and a too earnest desire to speak on everything may have had some influence on the members. It is to be hoped that in time to come more business will be got through in less time.

It is ever to be deplored that the work of Church extension is at a standstill. Our want is not want of means, but want of men. At this moment there is a considerable balance in the hands of the treasurer to the credit of this fund. Indeed, every appeal that has been made to the Presbyterian population has been heartily responded to. The £1000 *scheme* for bringing out ministers, and the £10,000 for St. Andrew's College, have all been raised since the Union. During last Assembly we had a handsome donation from Mr. Fraser; since then several most liberal contributions from Mr. Paxton, and others who might easily be named, have done much for the success of the work. I feel constrained, fathers and brethren, to affirm that in my humble opinion, our people have been quite as liberal in their contributions, as we have been zealous and abundant in our labours. Give us the right men out and they will be heartily supported. But I do not mean to say that we shall have no difficulties with respect to ministerial support; on the contrary, I am full of anxiety as to this subject. The vast majority of our congregations are merely self-supporting, and most of them, I fear, keep this position with difficulty. We have now congregations in the chief centres of population, and every new one added will not be an aid-giving, but an aid-receiving congregation. I hope the committee which has been appointed on a sustentation fund will give this subject their earnest attention, and suggest a plan which will help us to overcome these difficulties. Our crying want is want of men, and for this we ourselves are, if not entirely, at least to a very great extent, to blame. No provision has been made by the Church for their theological education, and there has been great uncertainty both with respect to the time and the subjects of study. How different the state of things in the home country. There the student knows that he has a course of *eight* years' study before him—four at the University and four at the Divinity Hall. Exemption from even a small part of this course is not often asked by the student, and very rarely granted by the Church. I trust that this Assembly will always insist that those entering her ministry shall obtain the best education which the country can give. As our University is the highest educational institution in the land, it seems to me that our general rule should be, that these colonial youth who are admitted into the service of the Church be all graduates of the University. Truly, these are not the times when it is either safe or expedient to lower the standard of education. But if it be found that, as a general rule, the University-bred man, other things being equal, is not in the slightest degree superior to him who has never had his training, either as a preacher or a pastor among the educated and uneducated, then university education for the Church will go to the wall, and that most deservedly. I beg, therefore, most earnestly to direct your attention to this important subject, so that at next Assembly you may be prepared with some practical measure with regard to it. Meantime, through the University, St. Andrew's College, and the Theological Board, both the literary and theological education of our students may be advanced. In connection with this I may refer to a matter of great importance brought before us last night in the overture from the Presbytery of Sydney, viz., the recommendation to employ young men, when prosecuting their theological studies, as evangelistic agents in the city, or suburbs, or rural districts. It would afford them a good opportunity of combining the theoretical with the practical, of engaging in public speaking and private visitation, as well as in reading and meditation. It would be to the young pastor what attendance at the hospital is to the student of medicine. It has always been felt that reading books and listening to lectures are not a sufficient preparation to warrant a man to practise in medicine; and why should they be held sufficient for him who is to take the oversight of souls?

The state of the colony, both in town and country, requires a large increase of labourers in the Lord's work. If we confine our attention solely to those who enter our churches, then there can be no manner of doubt that there will be a vast increase every year in the practical heathenism that now exists. If we who are ministers preach only to those who enter the church; if our elders attend only to their own members and adherents; if our Sabbath-school teachers instruct only those who enter the school; and if other denominations act in the same manner, what is to become of those who have fallen into vicious habits, and who have long ceased to attend Gospel ordinances? Assuredly it is the duty of all who love the Lord Jesus to say to themselves, "If these persons now absenting themselves from the house of God, and living in neglect of religious duties, will not come to us, we must go to them." Every year that passes without anything being done, only increases our difficulties, and adds to our guilt. We must strive not only to keep our own, but we must be aggressive in our movements, and never cease in our efforts till the Gospel is brought to every house in the land. To be successful in this *all* must lend a helping hand—office-bearers and members. Then let me address a few words to my esteemed brethren in the eldership. I have always regarded this office as one of the most admirable features of Presbyterianism. No law or regulation can be passed without the sanction of elders as well as ministers; no decision affecting character or administration is given without their consent; and no man can either be admitted to or excluded from the sacraments of the Church without their approval. In my opinion this is the best method that could be devised for securing the rights of the Christian people and for protecting the independence of the minister. In all our administrative and judicial acts we have the satisfaction of enjoying their counsel and of their sharing in our responsibility. Our Church, both in the fatherland and in America, has derived incalculable advantages from those who have filled this office in olden times as well as in the present day. The names of Stuart, of America; Professor Miller, Sir David Brewster, Henderson, Barclay, in Scotland; and, not to mention more, of Guizot, of the Reformed Church of France will occur to every one of you. You fill a most honourable office, and, let me add in all solemnity, a most responsible one. In proportion as you feel your responsibilities, and wake up to the discharge of your duties, will be your success in our Master's service. The Church derives great benefit from your regular attendance at these meetings of Assembly, and for your Christian wisdom in managing its business; but it will derive greater advantages still by the faithful discharge of those duties you owe to the flocks over which you are placed. If you attend meetings of session a few times in the year, assist at the distribution of the elements on communion seasons, and attend meetings of Presbytery and Assembly when your turn comes, you do well. But permit me to say that you have other duties to perform, equal in importance, to say the least, to those I have named. It is expected that you should enter the homes of the afflicted, and pray at the bedside of the sick and dying; and should the minister be called to another part of the field, who should be expected to occupy his place unless the elder? You should be the leaders in all movements that have in view the moral and spiritual good of the congregation. If the lanes of our cities are to be entered in order to discover those who are without God and without hope in the world, and bring them within the sphere of wholesome Christian influence, who, except the elders, can lead the way? It cannot be expected that the youthful Sabbath-school teacher will seek out the children growing up in ignorance, when the experimental elder will allow their parents to remain years away from church without ever *entering* their door to warn them of their sin, and invite them to come to the house of God that they may hear the Gospel of Salvation. The field is an extensive, and the wants of the community are so pressing, that *all* ought to come forward in this work. Unless our elders are most active in it, our Presbyterian system will be unfairly represented, and the neglected masses will sustain most serious injury. I humbly hope and pray that in all our congregations there will be increased attention given to the more spiritual duties of the *eldership*; and this is one of the most indispensable conditions of our success as a branch of the Church of Christ. *I feel* assured that you all agree with these sentiments, and that you will endeavour to exalt the office which you have the privilege of holding, by a faithful discharge of its manifold duties and by a careful and prayerful watch over your hearts and lives.

Before we part let me say again that I have had great pleasure in presiding over all our meetings, and have observed with satisfaction the interest taken in the proceedings, but especially the good temper with which our discussions have been carried on. It is a serious matter, however, that our sittings have been so prolonged that many of the country brethren have left. Some provision must be made, either to limit the duration of meeting or to insist on all being in their places at every sederunt. When important cases have to be decided by a few, the cause is injured. One case has given rise to considerable discussion, very different opinions were formed concerning it, and some anxiety manifested as to its termination; but by the blessing of God upon your efforts, a decision has been arrived at in which all cordially concur. For this most desirable result, let us devoutly thank the Great Head of the Church, who has the hearts of all men under his control.

Fathers and Brethren—We are now about to return to our homes and our flocks. I trust we have been encouraged by the mutual interchange of thought on matters pertaining to the cause of the Redeemer, and that we are resolved to labour more earnestly in our respective spheres. I think we ought to meet more frequently, and at least have more exchanges in our pulpits than we have been accustomed to. A change of scene and of intercourse exercises a wholesome influence on body and mind. Many of our brethren are far away in the bush, labouring hard amidst many discouragements, and scarcely see a brother minister from the one end of the year to the other. Some of our town brethren again are troubled with all the harassing cares of city life, and are kept in constant excitement from the beginning of the week to its close. Might not these change places for a season with great benefit to each, and with equal profit to the flocks? But whether in town or country, let us all be animated by the same desire to promote the prosperity of the Church. We have all the same interests at stake—to face the same foes, to reach the same goal, and gain the same crown. Time is short, our ranks are thinning. An old servant of the Lord, who has done good service in his Master's work, has gone to his reward since last Assembly; and a young minister of promise has been called away, in the morning of his ministry. *We may never all meet here again.* How little do the honours and the rewards which men covet, or the contentions in which they engage, appear when we look at them in the light of eternity! The more we live under a *solemn sense of these great realities, the more faith*ful shall we be in warning sinners to flee from the wrath to come, and inviting *them to come to Jesus*, the refuge of the lost. We shall be the more watchful over our own hearts, lest we dishonour Christ and cause the destruction of souls. Trusting in the Spirit of God, we may cheerfully prosecute all parts of our work, and never become weary in well doing; we may joyfully look forward to the time when we shall join the general assembly of the first-born in heaven, and meet there the patriarchs and prophets, the apostles, and martyrs who kept the faith and died in the Lord. "Now unto him that is able to keep you from falling, and to present you faultless before the presence of his glory with exceeding joy; to the only wise God our Saviour be glory and majesty, dominion and power, now and ever. Amen."

The minutes of the meeting then closed were then read, and confirmed.

The meeting closed about 8 o'clock with praise and prayer.

It was announced that the next session of the Assembly will be on the 27th of October, 1874, in St. Stephen's Church, Macquarie-street.

THE VICTORIA RACING CLUB SPRING MEETING.

[BY OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.]

THE DERBY DAY, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1.

THE great sporting reunion of the year in Victoria, the Spring Meeting, at which are run the Derby, the Melbourne Cup (the race *par excellence* of the season), besides the Maribyrnong Plate, and the Woodstock Plate, which introduce the two-year-olds, commenced on Saturday. The weather, which had been beautifully fine up to the beginning of the week, unfortunately set in with a series of those beautiful dust storms for which Melbourne is so renowned, and which, like our own brick-fielder are almost certain precursors of rain, and in this instance there was no exception to the rule, as early on Friday morning the rain came down in earnest, and continued most of the day, causing many anxious consultations of the barometer on Friday night. The race morn broke fine, but cloudy, and several sharp showers fell during the day, and a bleak wind rendered overcoats at a premium. As usual a great number availed themselves of the railway, which is very convenient for those wishing to reach the course in good time, but although the iron horse was in such great request, the road was by no means neglected, and from an early hour drags, cars, cabs, carriages, and other vehicles were on route for the trysting ground. Their Excellencies Sir George Bowen and Sir Hercules Robinson and their respective suites arrived early upon the course, and were conducted to the seats reserved for them. On account of the uncertain state of the weather the attendance upon the course and the "Hill" was not nearly so numerous as had been anticipated, but the stand was well patronized. The new Grand Stand just completed is a very imposing looking building, but differs greatly from any other edifice used for a similar purpose. It is nearly one hundred and fifty yards in length, and is built of bluestone. Sixteen handsome columns support the roof, and an elegant iron railing extends along the whole front of the stand. The principal entrance is at the eastern side, and a flight of stone steps lead up to the floor. There are also two entrances in the centre leading from the lawn. The refreshment and luncheon rooms are underneath the stand and are arrived at by a long passage extending along the length of the building, and by several side entrances. The suite of rooms for the accommodation of the Governors and their parties, are also reached by the passage. It is estimated that the stand will accommodate about 5000 persons, 3000 of whom can be seated. The roof is of corrugated iron, lined with wood to lessen the heat of the sun. At every interval of thirty feet there are passages to enable the people to gain access to the seats without climbing or crushing. The rooms below the stand have windows opening into the various passages to admit light and air. The building is no doubt well adapted to the purpose for which it was designed, but it is certainly a very unsightly and strange looking mass of stone to be on a racecourse, and it is to be hoped that the next generation will have some regard to the words of one of our best poets, who says—

"A thing of beauty is a joy for ever."

In consequence of the heavy rain that fell on the previous day, the course was very soft and holding, and in some places, especially at the far side, the going was very bad indeed. As soon as the warning bell rang for the Melbourne Stakes, a move was made for the saddling paddock to see the competitors strip for that event. Dagworth, who stripped as fine as a star, was in great request, and 2 to 1 was readily laid on him. Hamlet and the Ace were scratched, and Mr. Watson had no difficulty in dispatching the field away to a good start. Atalanta soon took up the running, and had established herself with a lead of nearly a dozen lengths at the abattoirs, but after passing which Donnelly called on Dagworth, and the son of Yattendon, catching the speedy filly at every stride, headed her at the distance, and won in a canter at the end. The Arrow, M'Callum Mohr, Dolphin, Priam, Benjerco, and Lady Bird declined for the Hotham Handicap, and twenty-five went to the post; King Tom, Wrangler, Wombo, and Contessa being most fancied. The race was a good one all the way, Contessa and Fairy making most of the running; but they died away at the home turn, and Ace of Trumps, Nimblefoot, Lancer, and Imperial came through, and the latter having all the best of it up the straight, won cleverly. No less than twenty-two were saddled for the Maribyrnong Plate, the absentees being Firestick, Sincerity, the Fenella colt, the Seagull filly, and Ali Steel. The start was not of the best, but those who got the worst of it soon drew up, and the lot raced up the straight in a heat, until thirty lengths from home when Stockbridge shot to the front and won comfortably by three or four lengths from Jacko, who ran through his horses very gamely at the finish. Reflection, Champagne, Gasoline, the Baroness colt, and the Mavourneen filly were not asked to play a part in the Derby, and eleven left the paddock. The Lapidist party were very confident, and the colt stripping well, his price hardened until it became a matter of difficulty to obtain 5 to 2 about him; whilst, on the other hand, Rose d'Amour was fairly supported at 6 to 1, and the Sylvia colt was quite deserted. The Wagga Wagga representative, Mountaineer, was hardly so forward in point of condition as could have been wished, but his followers never tired of taking 5 to 1, and at the last a point less was accepted. Maid of Avenal and Miss Milly were in excellent form, and there was little to find fault with Echo, Dagmar hardly looked as well as she had done a week or so before the day, and her companion Sea-spray appeared to be the stable choice. Speculation disappointed his friends, as although looking to be in excellent heart, he never looked dangerous at any part of the journey, and Rosalie was nearly as friendless as the Sylvia colt. Lapidist got first away, and after passing the abattoirs he and Rose d'Amour alone were in it. When rounding the last turn the saddle slipped on "The Rose," and the favourite, full of running, coming away at the distance, won without an effort from Mountaineer. Only five saddled up for the Essendon Stakes, the non-starters being Dawn of Day, Lancer, Champagne, Reflection, and Rosalie. Horatio ran in her shoes, and looked in such grand condition as he walked from the paddock that 3 to 1 was pretty freely laid on him, and Fitzyattendon, whose condition could not have been improved, was thought to be his only dangerous opponent. Triton held command until half a mile from home, when Horatio took up the lead, attended by Don Juan. The heavy going and the weight told on the favourite at the turn, and Don Juan won a pretty race from Fitz-Yattendon, who came with a brilliant rush and finished like a racehorse. The defeat of Horatio caused much surprise, and great consternation amongst those who had backed him for the Cup, and lots of hedging money came into the market at a reasonable price. Topper and Stocktrap were scratched for the Footscray Plate, and Latona won as she liked from Toothpicker, and the other moderates. The day was not a good one for the "Ring," as the public had three good turns by the victories of Dagworth, Stockbridge, and Lapidist, and a little one with Latona. The Hotham Handicap and the Essendon Stakes, however, made the "books" pretty even, and the racing was marked by large fields and few finishes.

The following is a detailed account of each race, but as no facilities worthy of the name were afforded the Press, and reporters had to take their notes as best they could in the crowd, the descriptions are not so comprehensive as under more favourable circumstances they could have been:—

Melbourne Stakes, a sweepstakes of 5 sovereigns each, with 75 added. For 3 years old, 7st. 3lbs.; 4 years, 9st.; 5 years, 9st. 6lbs.; 6 years and aged, 9st. 7lbs. One mile and a quarter.

Mr. R. Bloomfield's b h Dagworth, by Yattendon—Nutcut, 5 years, 9 st 6 lbs (Donnelly) ... 1
Dr. J. Bathe's ch f Atalanta, by Kelpie—Amethyst, 3 years, 7 st 3 lbs (R. Batty) ... 2
Mr. K. Brown's b g Victorian, by Sir Hugh, aged, 9 st 4 lbs ... 3
R. Holland's b h Newbold, 5 years, 9 st 6 lbs
Brown's ch m Lady Athole, 4 years, 9 st 0 lbs
A. Chisholm's b c Sultan, 3 years, 7 st 3 lbs

Betting: 2 to 1 on Dagworth, 4 to 1 v. Atalanta, 5 to 1 v. any other.

An excellent start was soon effected, and Lady Athole being quickest on her legs at once took up the running, and led at a fair pace for about two hundred yards, attended by Dagworth, Atalanta, and Victorian. As they approached the bridge at the beginning of the back stretch Batty took Atalanta to the front, and, forcing the running at her best pace, she led on to the abattoirs, where she had an advantage of half a dozen lengths; Lady Athole lying second, three lengths in front of Dagworth, who was pulling hard and going strongly; Newbold and Victorian a long way off, and hopelessly out of it. The filly drew further away, and when passing the scraping sheds was fully ten lengths clear of anything. Here Donnelly sat down on the favourite, and the great horse settling down to his work, caught the chestnut as they turned into the running, and won without an effort by three lengths. Victorian, who was persevered with to the end, was third, ten lengths away; and Newbold and Lady Athole finished as named. Time, 2.26.

Hotham Handicap, a sweepstakes of 5 sovereigns each, 2 forfeit, with 100 added. For 3 years old and upwards. One mile and a half and a distance.

Mr. C. S. King's ch g Imperial, Maribyrnong—Eugenia, 4 years 6 st 7 lbs (R. Batty) ... 1
J. Arthur's b g Nimblefoot, by Panic—Quickstep, aged, 6 st 8 lbs (Day) ... 2
P. Lewis's br h King Tom, 4 years by South Australian—Miss Giraffe, 7 st 5 lbs (including 5 lbs over) (Stratford) 3
T. J. Ryan's ch h Lancer, 5 years, 8 st 2 lbs
W. Filgate's bl m Contessa, 5 years 8 st
F. G. Bowler's b g Exile (late Lapdog), aged, 7 st 11 lbs
J. S. Smith's ch g Wombo (late King of the Ring), 5 years, 7 st 9 lbs
R. Sevior's b g Clodhopper, aged, 7 st 7 lbs
H. J. Bowler's g m Formosa, 5 years, 7 st 5 lbs
W. Gerrard's b h Ace of Trumps, 5 years, 7 st 4 lbs
R. Holland's ch m Ithaca, 6 years, 7 st 5 lbs
J. Thompson's b g Steeltrap, 6 years, 7 st 2 lbs
J. Coleham's b h Sunlight, 4 years, 7 st
T. Ivory's br g Wrangler, 5 years, 7 st
A. Bloomfield's b m Pandora, 5 years, 6 st 10 lbs
J. Arthur's b h Wollamai, 4 years, 6 st 10 lbs
A. Wilkinson's b h Planter, 6 years, 6 st 7 lbs
H. Phillips's b m Fairy, 5 years, 6 st 4 lbs
W. Brown's b g W. F., aged, 6 st 10 lbs (carried 6 st 2 lbs)
A. Taunder's br m Surge, 6 years, 5 st 7 lbs.

Betting: 5 to 1 v. King Tom, 7 to 1 each v. Wombo and Wrangler, 8 to 1 v. Nimblefoot.

Without delay the signal was given to a capital start, the colours of Exile, King Tom, Contessa, Fairy, and Imperial showing most prominently for the first dozen strides. When they had got fairly upon their legs, Fairy ran to the head of affairs and conducted them past the stand, with Imperial, Planter, and Contessa next, and the ruck in a huge bunch. Rounding the river turn Contessa assumed the lead and showed them to the back of the course, with Fairy next, two lengths away, and King Tom, Imperial, Nimblefoot, and Ace of Trumps, the latter on the inside, following clear of the ruck. The black mare made the pace a cracker, but the heavy ground near the abattoirs stopped her, and Fairy again took up the running, Contessa going on second, after whom came King Tom, Nimblefoot, Imperial, and Ace of Trumps. Coming round the bend, after passing the scraping shed, the leading division got on closer terms, and Wollamai began to force his way to the front. Fairy melted away at the home run, and Nimblefoot, making a great rush, led into the running, but Ace of Trumps, creeping up on the inside, headed him a little further on, and looked like a winner for a few strides. He tired twenty lengths from home, and Imperial, served by his light weight, drew away, and finishing gamely passed him and Nimblefoot, and won with a *trifle to* spare by a couple of lengths; Nimblefoot beating King Tom, who was ridden out, by *four lengths for* second. Wollamai, Ace of Trumps, and Lancer were in a cluster next, and after them, clear of the ruck, came Fairy, Contessa, and Exile. Wombo, Clodhopper, and Ithica were never in the race at any part, and Formosa was amongst the last lot all the way. Time, 3 minutes 3 seconds.

Maribyrnong Plate, a sweepstakes of 30 sovereigns, half forfeit, with 300 sovereigns added by Mr. George Petty, and 300 by the V.R.C., for two-year-olds; colts, 8 st. 10 lbs.; fillies, 8 st. 5 lbs. The second horse to receive 100 sovereigns, and the third to save his stake. Five furlongs.

Dr. J. Bathe's b c Stockbridge, by Stockham—Granny, 8 st 10 lbs (R. Batty) ... 1
Mr. J. Tomson's b c Jocko, by Kingston—Lady Elizabeth, 8 st 10 lbs (J. Wilson) ... 2
P. Lewis's b c Menindie, by Boiardo—Nathalie, 8 st 10 lbs (T. Enderson) ... 3
J. E. Warby's b c Polidor, 8 st 10 lbs
A. Thurder's b c Presto, 8 st 10 lbs
E. Jellett's br c The Hook, 8 st 10 lbs
W. H. M'Millan's b c War Eagle, 8 st 10 lbs
T. Henry's b c Morang (late Reesit), 8 st 10 lbs
T. Naphten's b c Stamcede, 8 st 10 lbs
T. J. Ryan's ch c ——, 8 st 10 lbs
Sir Hercules Robinson's b c Kingsborough, 8 st 10 lbs
R. J. Tait's b c Melbourne, 8 st 10 lbs
— Auchester's ch c Leopold, 8 st 10 lbs
H. Fisher's b c ——, by Fireworks—Fenella
J. R. Harper's b f Bibas Bompis, 8 st 5 lbs
— James's b f Gaslight, 8 st 5 lbs
J. Wilson's b f Lamorna, 8 st 5 lbs
H. J. Bowler's b f Australia, 8 st 5 lbs
E. K. Cox's b f Nea, 8 st 5 lbs
R. Holland's b f Tinfinder, 8 st 5 lbs
H. Fisher's ch f ——, 8 st 5 lbs
—— ch f ——, by Fireworks—Lady Manners Sutton, 8 st 5 lbs.

Betting: 4 to 1 v. Jocko, 6 to 1 v. Stockbridge, 8 to 1 v. Lamorna, 10 to 1 v. Nea, 15 to 1 each v. Kingsborough, Melbourne, and Presto, 20 to 25 to 1 v. any other.

No time was lost at the post, and the flag was lowered to a tolerable start, Stockbridge, Explosion, and Merindie appearing to get away in the first light. They ran nearly level till a furlong from home, when Kingsborough made a brilliant run, but compounded almost immediately, and for the next dozen strides the Lady Manners Sutton filly looked like winning, but she also found the pace too severe, and Stockbridge, coming out of the centre of the ruck, shot to the front, with Jocko, clear of the others, next. Dr. Bathe's colt, full of running, increased his advantage at every stride, and won, with something to spare, by four lengths from Jocko, who was nearly double that distance in front of Menindie. Lamorna was fourth, and after her came the Lady Manners Sutton filly, Presto, Kingsborough, and Melbourne in a heap. Time, 1 minute 9 seconds.

Victorian Derby, a sweepstakes of 25 sovereigns each, 5 forfeit, with 500 sovereigns added. For three-year-olds. Colts, 8 st. 10 lbs.; fillies, 8 st. 5 lbs. The second horse to receive 50 sovereigns, and the third to save his stake, 1½ mile. 62 subscribers.

Mr. W. Filgate's b c Lapidist, by Fireworks—Chrysolite, 8st 10 lbs (Grubb) ... 1
H. J. Bowler's b c Mountaineer, by Snowden—Mitta Mitta, 8 st 10 lbs (Yeomans) ... 2
Dr. Bathe's ch f Maid of Avenel, by Stockham—Mary Avenel, 8 st 5 lbs (R. Batty) ... 3
Mr. A. Saqui's b f Rose d'Amour (late My Leah), 8 st 5 lbs
W. Gerrard's b c Echo, 8 st 10 lbs
J. Tait's br c ——, by Fireworks—Sylvia, 8 st 10 lbs
J. S. Smith's b c Speculation, 8st 10 lbs
T. J. Ryan's b f Rosalie, 8 st 5 lbs
J. Wilson's b f Seaspray, 8 st 5 lbs
—— bl f Dagmar, 8 st 5 lbs
J. Wiseman's b f Miss Milly, 8 st 5 lbs.

Betting: 5 to 2 v. Lapidist, 4 to 1 v. Mountaineer, 5 to 1 v. Rose d'Amour, 6 to 1 v. Maid of Avenel, 7 to 1 v. each Dagmar and Sea Spray.

Lapidist jumped off with the lead, attended by Rose d'Amour and Echo, the rest close together, and Sea Spray last. Miss Milly ran up to the favourite at the river turn, and the pair raced on terms to the bridge, where Grubb steadied Lapidist, and Mr. Wiseman's filly went on with the running, the son of Fireworks lying second two lengths away, with Rose d'Amour and Echo next, and closely followed by the Sylvia colt, Mountaineer, Rosalie, and Sea Spray. The pace was very fair along the far side of the course, and Miss Milly having run herself out, Lapidist, taking advantage of his condition, went to the front, and began to force the pace. At the Scraping Sheds, Rose d'Amour ran into second place, and Echo and Miss Milly dying away, Sea Spray went on third, and Mountaineer, and the Sylvia began to get nearer the front. Rose d'Amor challenged Lapidist after passing the sheds, and the pair drew away from the field, and it looked as though they were going to settle the question between them; but just at the critical moment when Lewis called upon the filly, the girths slipped, and the saddle went back nearly on to her loins. She stopped racing at once, and the favourite was left with undisputed command. He sailed round the home turn, going well within himself, and leading Mountaineer by a couple of lengths, and Miss Milly, coming again and passing "The Rose" and the beaten Sylvia colt and Echo, looked dangerous, but only for a few strides, as she died away again, and the Wagga colt was left to chase the favourite home. The big colt struggled gallantly, but the result was never in doubt, and Lapidist won, hands down, by three or four lengths. Miss Milly, Rose d'Amour, Sea Spray, and Maid of Avenel, who came with a wet sail at the finish, had a great fight for third place, the latter scoring it by a short half length, Rose d'Amour beating the other two, who were nearly on terms, by about half a length. The Sylvia colt was next, and Speculation made the last joint of a very long tail. Time, 2 minutes 51 seconds.

The following is a list of winners of the Victorian Derby:—

Time.	Owner.	Winner.	Sire.	[illegible]	Time.
					m. s.
1860	Mr. G. Watson's	Flying Colours	Dolo	4	3 2
1861	Mr. Dowling's	Camden	Conrad or Warhawk	7	2 53
1862	Mr. Harper's	Barwon	Boiardo	6	2 59
1863	Mr. Lang's	Oriflamme	Boiardo	[illegible]	[illegible] 3
1864	Mr. Fisher's	Lantern	Muscovado	4	[illegible] 58
1865	Mr. Fisher's	Angler	Fisherman	4	[illegible] 51
1866	Mr. Fisher's	Seagull	Fisherman	[illegible]	[illegible] 4
1867	Mr. Tait's	Fireworks	Kelpie	5	2 56
1868*	Mr. Tait's	Fireworks	Kelpie	3	2 53
1869*	Mr. Moffatt's	My Dream	Fisherman	9	2 48
1869	Mr. Fisher's	Charon	Ferryman	7	2 55
1870	Mr. Tait's	Florence	Boiardo	7	3 0
1871	Mr. J. Wilson's	Miss Jessie	Maribyrnong	7	2 49
1872	Mr. W. Winch's	Loup Garou	Lord of Linne	8	2 46
1873	Mr. W. Filgate's	Lapidist	Fireworks	7	2 51

* Run on New Year's Day.

Essendon Stakes of 10 sovereigns each, half forfeit, with 150 added. For 3 years old, 6 st. 10 lbs.; 4 years, 9 st.; 5 years, 9 st. 9 lbs.; 6 years, and aged, 9 st. 12 lbs. The winner of any stake (not a handicap) of the value of 100 sovereigns, to carry 7 lbs extra; of two or more such stakes, 10 lbs. extra. The winner of any such stake of the value of 500 sovereigns to carry 14 lbs. extra; but no penalties to accumulate above 14 lbs. Two miles.

Mr. W. Johnston's b h Don Juan, by Lucifer—Levity, 4 years, 9 st (J. Wilson) ... 1
Sir H. Robinson's br c Fitz Yattendon, by Yattendon—Days of Old, 3 years, 7 st 6 lbs, including 10 lbs. penalty (Duggan) ... 2
Mr. E. de Mestre's b h Horatio, by Maribyrnong—Rose of the Mark, 4 years, 9 st (M. Thompson) ... 3
G. Tennant's ch c Triton, 3 years, 6 st 10 lbs
H. Phillips's b f Mirth, 3 years, 6 st 5 lbs.

Betting: 3 to 1 on Horatio; 4 to 1 v. Fitz-Yattendon; 5 to 1 bar two.

Triton led at a hand gallop to the river turn, after rounding which the pace mended, and he had ten lengths to the good when passing the bridge, Fitz-Yattendon leading Horatio a length, second, Mirth next, and Don Juan, pulling double, last. The pace and the heavy ground stopped Triton, and, Horatio cutting him down at the abattoirs he left the front rank for ever, while Horatio, going like a lion, came round the bend with a commanding advantage. Here Duggan took a pull on the son of Days of Old, and Don Juan, coming very fast, ran into his heels. The latter drew up to Horatio at the last turn, and after racing with him for a few strides, got the favourite in trouble, and turned into the running with the race in hand. Fitz Yattendon ran through his horses with undeniable gameness, and finishing as all the Yattendons do, caught the St. Alban's "crack" very fast at the finish, but the latter had something still left in him, and, answering with great determination, won cleverly by about a length. Horatio, who was eased off when beaten, was an indifferent third, and Triton and Mirth were beaten off. Time, 3 minutes 57 seconds.

A protest was entered against the winner for running into Fitz-Yattendon at the last turn, but was almost immediately withdrawn by his Excellency.

Footscray Plate.—A sweepstakes of 5 sovereigns each, with 50 added. For three years old, 7 st. 7 lbs.; 4 years, 9 st.; 5 years, 6 years and aged, 9 st. 7 lbs. One mile. The winner to be sold for 100 sovereigns.

Mr. T. Coker's br f Latona, by The Barb—Emery, 5 years, 7 st 2 lbs (R. Batty) ... 1
J. Morrison's br g Toothpicker, by Lord of the Hills—Ephine, 6 years, 9 st 4 lbs (Chalker) ... 2
S. Waldock's b m Phyllis, by Panic, 5 years 9 st 2 lbs (Emerson) ... 3
J. Arthur's br g Francie, 6 years, 9 st 4 lbs.
F. Tozer's br m Merrymaid, 5 years, 9 st 2 lbs
T. Henry's br m The Queen, 4 years, 8 st 9 lbs

Betting: Even on Latona; 2 to 1 v. Phyllis; 5 to 1 v. any other.

The Queen was the first away, and led Toothpicker two lengths to the abattoirs, Latona lying next, and the rest already in trouble. Half a-mile from home Latona went to the front, and The Queen having had enough, Toothpicker went on after the Barb filly. The latter got further away when coming round the bend, and won very easily from Toothpicker by five lengths. Phillis was a bad third, and the others nowhere. Time 1 minute 55 seconds.

COMMERCIAL.

PRODUCE CIRCULARS.

MORT AND CO.—Wool: We submitted a catalogue of 700 bales for our sale on Wednesday, and found the market firm for fairly conditioned parcels of washed fleece, but for greasy the competition was less active. The lines sold realized as follows:—Washed fleece, 18d to 23½d; greasy ditto, 9½d to 11½d; scoured, 24½d. Sheepskins continue in active request at from 5½d to 9½d for medium to full-fleeced, at which figures we quitted a large number this week. Tallow: There was a better disposition to purchase for shipment to-day, and we succeeded in quitting nearly every line offered, but can hardly quote improvement on late quotations. Our sales were—interior, £26; mixed, £29 10s to £32 15s; beef, £30 to £32; mutton is worth from £36 to £38 10s. Hides: The prices were not quite so active this morning except for first-class lots, for which the competition was good. Objection is taken by purchasers to the condition in which a good many hides still reach market, being either very wet, or containing an excessive amount of salt; and, although under the present system of selling, buyers can demand any questionable lots to be swept, and thus secure themselves, hides coming in the condition named, cannot be expected to realise as much as they otherwise would. Leather: Sole leather remains at late rates, and not much business doing. Quotations are from 9½d to 14½d. Harness is in better demand at from 12d to 15d; kip sold at from 17½d to 20d; cow tweed, 29½d to 35½d; kangaroo, 35d; calf, 5d, at which prices we sold the lots on our catalogue. Hair realises from 18d to 24d for horsetail, and 12d to 15d for mare and mixed. Horns and shankbones hardly so much in demand, but worth for the former 20s to 25s per 100, and for the latter £8 to £14 per ton.—November 7.

JOHN BARBOUR.—Wool: At this week's sales buyers evinced a disposition to hold off for a slight decline on late prices; and the same may be said of skins. Tallow remains without improvement. Trade parcels, however, selling readily at, say 33s to 36s for mutton, and 28s to 32s for beef. Bones maintain their value, say 10s to 16s per cwt. Horns have improved, and are now worth 15s to 20s per 100; and hair is in improved demand at, say 15d to 25d for horse mane and tail, and 6d to 15d for cow. Leather was again in limited supply, but prices remained without improvement except for tweeds, which were in demand. Prices ranged thus—kip, 15d to 24d; sole, 10d to 11½d; calf, 2s 6d to 3s 9d; tweed, 2s to 4s; harness, 12d to 16d; bag, 14s to 17s; bridle, 15s; kangaroo, 2s to 5s; basils 9s to 14s. Tin ore is worth 50s to 80s, according to assay, and is in active demand. Black oil is rather plentiful, and this would be a good time for consumers to buy in supplies. Flour and wheat command attention, the former at 15s to 17s per 100 lb., and the latter at 5s to 7s per bushel. Hides were in moderate supply this week, and prices well maintained, say, butchers' hides, 4½ to 5½d, or 24s to 29s each; dry or half dry in good order 5½d to 7½d per lb.; station and odd lots, to 5d, according to quality. Horse hides are worth 5s 6d to 8s each. Calfskins, 4s to 5s.—November 7.

JOHN A. TURNER.—Wool: The absence of washed fleece, with an undue proportion of greasy, is being felt to the disappointment of the latter, to which fact, coupled with the disinclination on the part of buyers to ship in that state may be traced a fall in value of fully one halfpenny to one penny per lb. Prices offered a fortnight ago for portions of clips in store, with option of taking balances when to hand are now utterly unobtainable. This has been very unfortunate for growers, who, when forwarding slips to the market, have required a valuation prior to offering at auction. In such instances current rates were quoted. During the interval necessarily elapsing before advices could be received and returned, the market fell; consequently such valuations cannot now be obtained. If owners could place a fair marketable value on their consignments, with a discretionary power to the auctioneers, they would be much benefited thereby. Quotations given for the lowest and highest qualities, the top price being for the choicest descriptions: Fleece, 17d to 25d; scoured, 15d to 26d; greasy, 8d to 12½d; mixed, 6d to 14d; locks and pieces, bellies, &c., 4d to 16d, according to quality. Sheepskins: Owing to the fall in greasy wool, this line of produce is not so much in request, except at lower rates. A fall in value is perceptible on last month's prices of from ½d to 1d per lb.; and even at this reduction, faulty and seedy descriptions are in no way salable. Quotations: Prime parcels of light and long staple at 8d to 9½d, good at 7½d to 8½d, fair at 7d to 7½d, short at 6d to 5d, pelts at 1½d to 3½d per lb. Tallow: The market is very bare of prime parcels of beef and mutton, which can be placed at a shade higher than former rates. I sold some 80 casks of medium quality at quotations. Mutton, £32 to £36 10s; beef, £30 to £35 10s; station £28 to £30 10s per ton. Hides: Owing to the decline in price of leather, the sales of to-day passed off with less animation, and a fall of one farthing per lb. was apparent on all classes, with the exception of butchers', for which last week's rates were obtained. Horsehides, yearlings, and calfskins are slightly lower. Quotations:—Dry station, 6d to 6½d; prime salted, 5½d to 5¾d; medium condition, 5¼d to 5½d; wet, 4½d to 5d; horsehides, 5s to 7s 9d; calfskins, 2s 6d to 5s each. Leather: This week's sale was unusually dull; some parcels of sole, however, realized satisfactory prices, while others, consisting of unsuitable and faulty descriptions, were neglected; in some instances, good hides literally spoilt, which, with a fair amount of labour and attention, would have realised satisfactory prices. With the high price of hides now ruling, tanners cannot be too particular in the get-up of their leather. Well-known brands that can be depended upon are readily taken at good marketable rates. My sale resulted as follows:—Hairnes BE, at 17d; McL—GG, at 16d; BC, at 15½d; BE at 11d; inferior, CT, at 13½d; R, at 13½d; bag, JP a 17s 3d; HP, at 17s; PB, at 16s 6d; sole, R, at 11½d; CB, at 11½d; JSP [illegible] JP, 10½d; CT, at 10d; PXC, at 9½d; R, at 8d; bellies, 9d; kip, J&F&W, at 2/4; JSP at 20½d; CT at 19½d; PB, interior, at 17½d; horse butts, CE, at 9½d; horse tweed, E, at 24d; yearling ditto, L&S, at 44d; cordovan, CT, at 22d, split yearling interior, CT, at 19½d per lb.; basils, 8s to 11s 6d per dozen.—November 7.

HARRISON, JONES, AND DEVLIN.—Wool: The larger proportion of that now arriving to hand consists of greasy lots, for which there is scarcely so much competition; but fleece and scoured wools are eagerly competed for, and prices are well kept up: Fleece, 17½d to 23½d; greasy, 7½d to 11½d; scoured, 18d to 24½d. We offered a fair catalogue, the principal lots sold being: Fleece—Brownie, 15 at 20d; JN, 5 at 18½d; ditto over, 3 at 17½d to 18d; greasy—WKG, 6 at 9½d to 10½d; 8 at 9½d; MS in circle, 3 at 9½d; AG, 2 at 10½d; JD in diamond, 12 at 10½d; TRR, 3 at 10d, 3 at 7½d; RV, 8 at 9½d; A&6 at 10½d, and 33 odd lots. Sheepskins: These continue in good request and sell freely at late rates, especially those skins of better quality, the sales having ranged from 7d to 9½d for good skins, the latter price being for 18 bales sold by ourselves. Short-wooled and medium skins, 4½d to 6½d. We cleared our catalogue of 33 lots at above rates. Tallow: A better demand for shipping parcels was noticeable, and an advance of from 15s to 20s per ton took place for parcels of good beef tallow. Trade parcels remain about the same as last week. The principal lots sold by us were—Beef: S in triangle, 10 at 32s 3d; M, 12 at 32s 3d; WD, 4 at 32s 3d; H, 20 at 33s 3d; WJ, 3 at 32s, 1 at 33s; JAM, 4 at 31s 9d; mixed, TR, 3 at 29s 3d, 3 at 29s; JA, 3 at 29s; JP, 2 at 3s. Quotations—Best mutton, £34 10s to £35 10s; beef, £32 to £33 5s; mixed and station, £28 to £30 10s. Hides: We notice a decline of about ¼ per lb. upon all descriptions, but wet salted were very dull of sale even at this reduction. The sales ranged 4½d to 5½d; heavy, 5½d to 5¾d; medium, 5¼d to 5½d; light and middling, 6d to 7d; horse hides still in fair demand, at from 6s 6d to 7s 6d. We cleared the whole of our catalogue at above rates. Leather: The market was scarcely so firm on Thursday, a large quantity of dressed leathers having been held over, and a great deal still coming to hand has caused a glut of this description of leather. Sole is still in fair demand. Harness is getting a little scarcer, and prices are firmer. Quotations—Sole, 10 to 11; kip, best, 20 to 22; second quality, 17 to 19; harness, 12½d to 15d; calf, 2s to 3s 6d.—November 7.

IRWIN AND CO.—Wool: Parcels of light and clean met with good competition, but several lots of greasy and heavy were held over for higher figures. Prices, on the whole, were firm, but without any decided advance on late quotations, which may be given as under:—Scoured at 2½d to 25d, handwashed at 16d to [illegible] (washed), superior clips, at 22d to 24d ditto fair at 18d to 20d, ditto inferior at 8d to 15d, greasy (superior) at 10d to 12d, fair at 8d to 9d, inferior and burry at 6½d to 7d per lb. Sheepskins: [illegible] in good request, at 8½d to 9½d for full wool, and ½d to 1½d for shorts and pelts. Tallow: The demand has slightly improved this week, though the price continues nominal, and realised at auction—Beef at 28s to our [illegible], mutton at 32s to 35s 6d, station at 26s to 31s 3d, [illegible] rather easier and a fall of ½d per lb is noticeable. Tanners purchase freely to supply requirements, but prices are still too high for shipping. Quotations from to-day's sales were as follows: [illegible] on 6d to 6½d, good conditioned 5½d to 5¾d, wet 4½d to 5d. Leather: All coming forward of good quality, meet with average demand when reserves are not too high. An improvement may soon be looked for. At present, prices may be given thus:—Kip 2[illegible]d to 24d, sole 1[illegible]d to 11½d, calf 3s 4d to 4s, harness 14d to [illegible], bag and strap 14s 6d to 17s 6d. A good demand exists for horsehair at 17d to 24d per lb. Shank bones £9 to £14 per ton. Horns 18s to 25s per 100.—November 7.

STOCK AND STATION CIRCULARS.

HARRISON, JONES, AND DEVLIN.—Stations: There has been but little business done under this head during the week. We have had inquiries for some of the properties in our hands for sale, and have placed one station under offer, with a view to its inspection by the intending purchaser. Fat Cattle: 1113 yarded. A rather heavy supply of very good quality cattle (with one exception) has been forward for this week, notwithstanding prices have been pretty well kept up. Fat Sheep: 4101 offered. The arrivals have been fewer than for some time, and the trade being large, holders' prices were kept to last week's quotations. We sold—1781 wethers (W. Allison) to 15s 6d; 148 culls (W. Allison) to 13s; 49 lambs (John Brown) 16s 5d to 17s 6d. Store Cattle: There is no alteration in this market; the requirements are likely to be enhanced by the recent rains, while the supply is extremely limited. Store Sheep: The late rains will dispel the fears of a want of feed for the summer, and store sheep are likely to improve in prices. We have some very large and good lots now on the road to market.—November 7.

BREWSTER AND TERRECK.—Stations: There is a fair inquiry for sound, well improved properties in our Western districts, but pending the shearing there is not much disposition on the part of vendors to part with their runs until the wool is secured. For fattening cattle stations purchasers are willing to give good rates, provided they are safe from selectors. Queensland cattle stations, containing a good proportion of bullocks, are also saleable at fair prices. Store Cattle: Good bullocks are much wanted; at present market rates they are very scarce. Well-bred young cows and heifers have also been inquired for, and we could place 3 or 4 lots of 1000 each at satisfactory prices. Store Sheep: Purchasers have been making inquiries for suitable lots for fattening on our Western runs. We quote best wethers at 8s 6d to 9s; breeding ewes, 10s to 15s; ewes for fattening, from 6s to 7s.—November 7.

SULLIVAN AND SIMPSON.—Stations: A quiet week amongst investors for station properties, but there are several purchasers in the market ready and willing to buy any good properties at reasonable rates. Fat Cattle: The supply for the week was sufficient for requirements, and the quality of those forward was good and prime. Competition brisk for best pens, and prices throughout well maintained. We quote best pens of bullocks worth from £9 to £9 10s; second quality, £7 to £7 10s; best pens of cows, £6 15s to £7 10s; all others in proportion to weight and quality. We have this week sold 169 bullocks (Ward's) at an average of £8 14s 9d. Fat Sheep: The market has been well supplied during the week; and many of the flocks are in the hands of the wholesale purchasers. Those yarded were in most cases very good, and some flocks prime and weighty. We quote best wethers in wool—say 60 lb., at 17s to 17s 6d; 54 lb. ditto at 15s. Our sales have been—[illegible] wethers (Messrs. Sawyer, Wilson, and Orr's) at 15s; 2000 ditto, shorn, on account of Mr. J. C. Ryrie, delivered on his stations, at 11s 6d. Store Cattle: Few offering, and any good lots are very salable at our last quotations. Store Sheep: Wethers are now inquired for, and well grown shorn sheep—say 3, 4, and 5 years old, are worth 8s to 8s 6d; maiden ewes, shorn, 10s to 10s 6d; aged ewes, 6s.—November 7.

G. M. PITT.—Fat Cattle: 1000 head yarded for the week's supply. The quality forward was the best we have seen for a long time; Cook's, and Dight and Yeomen's, on Monday, and Wooller and Ridge's on Thursday, being all very prime and weighty. The demand has been well-sustained throughout, and closing sales showed a very firm market. I anticipate good prices to rule all the summer, and have no doubt we shall soon equal our southern neighbours. I quote prime beef worth 21s 6d per 100 lbs. My sales have been—497 bullocks (Dight and Yeoman's) at £8 12s 6d; 228 mixed (John Crowley's) at £7 11s; 82 bullocks (John Wooller's), at £8 11s; 200 mixed (John Town's) at £7 7s; 26 cull cows at £5 5s. Fat Sheep: There has been a larger supply forward this week, and the market has hardly ruled so firm. The quality of the mutton now offering is the best seen in Sydney for years, the complaint of the butchers being, it is too fat and heavy. Shorn sheep are fully 2s a head higher here at present than in Melbourne, but I do not expect this to continue long as prices are slightly above preserving limits. I quote 56-lb. wethers in wool at 15s 6d; ditto, shorn, ditto, 13s. My sales have been—2045 wethers (Dight and Yeoman's) at 15s to 15s 6d; 1109 ewes (J. Christie and Co.'s) at quotations; 1060 wethers, ditto, ditto, ditto.—November 7.

BUTLER AND INGLIS.—Fat Cattle: There was a large number brought forward, including several lots of very prime quality. The market continued very firm, with a slight advance upon the prices obtained last week. Quotations—Fat bullocks £8 10s to £9 10s; cows, £4 10s to £7. Sheep: The supply was abundantly sufficient for requirements; the quality about the average. Best wethers are worth in full fleece 15s to 16s; shorn, 9s to 11s. Milch cows: There were not many offered to-day, and those to hand were of only a moderate description. Our sales ranged from £4 10s to £5 12s 6d. Good cows are now in better demand than they have been of late. Calves: There were only a few, of very poor quality. Quotations—21s to 40s. Lambs: We sold 40 (J. Graham's) from 14s 5d to 15s 6d. There is always a ready sale for good lambs. Pigs: Supply scarce, and those to hand all sold at high rates. Quotations—12s 6d to 49s.—November 7.

GIBSON KISS.—The market is better supplied with fresh country horses than for some time past,—especially with cart, draught, and useful harness animals, all of which sold readily at the following rates:—Harness horses, £10 to £18; cart horses, £10 to £15; heavy draught, £25 to £31 10s; saddle horses, £5 to £15. Nothing stylish coming forward. At the Camperdown Yards, I sold the following:—For Mr. A. H. Rankin, 36 head very useful horses, the heavy portion ranging from £5 to £22; the light portion, £2 to £8: average of lot, £8 4s. For Mr. W. J. M'Connell, 32 head well-selected horses, heavy portion ranging £10 to £25, light portion from £3 to £8; average of lot, £10 10s. For Mr. A. G. Fisher, 25 head of horses, principally light, ranging from £1 5s to £6 10s; average of lot, £3 4s. For Mr. Pike, 8 head good colts and fillies; average of lot, £14 18s.—November 7.

SYDNEY LABOUR MARKET.

W. BROWN.—This market is well supplied with men servants, requiring town and suburban employment as storemen, gardeners, grooms, porters, waiters, cooks, ordinary labourers, &c. The supply of farming men, dairy servants, bushmen and shepherds is not in excess of present wants. There is considerable demand for married and single men for farm, dairy, and bush work, and married couples for domestic service. Female servants possessing the necessary qualifications of character and experience readily obtain situations.—November 6.

TRADE CIRCULARS.

WOOL.

[C. BALME AND CO.]

September 2.

THE arrivals to date for the fourth series of wool sales, which will open on the 2nd proximo, are as under:—Sydney, 8 833; Port Phillip, 9636; Adelaide, 1431; Swan River, 211; Van Diemen's Land, 1524; New Zealand, 18,029; Cape, 28,783; total, 77,[illegible]07 bales.

There has been some private inquiry in the market during the past fortnight, and several parcels of wool—principally Capes—have changed hands at the closing rates of the late sales.

There is no change to report in the general situation of our article. Consumption continues on a fair scale, though no doubt somewhat embarrassed by the increased cost of the raw material, and in no department of the industry do the stocks of wool appear large.

[J. MORRISON AND CO.]

August 30.

In our late circulars we have taken rather a discouraging view of commercial affairs. We adverted to several indications that the expansion of trade had been checked, that retrogression had commenced, and that expectations as regards the future should be moderated. Since the date of the last we issued (11th June) the course of decline has been arrested, at all events for the present, but we fear only for the present. The foreign trade of the country, both import and export, has regained in July some of its lost ground. The official returns for the five months that had elapsed up to the end of May were quoted by us, and showed that trade was no longer "advancing by leaps and bounds," the increase of the imports being at the rate of rather less than 4 per cent., and that of the exports not quite 7 per cent. The sixth month, June, showed even less favourably, the imports in that month exhibiting an increase of only 1 per cent., and all increase in the exports having disappeared and given place to an actual decrease of nearly 4 per cent. The returns for July, however, marked an improvement under both heads, the imports showing an increase of nearly 18 per cent. over the corresponding month of last year, and the exports a very insignificant decrease, say 2-10th per cent. It may, however, at the same time be observed that the increase in imports largely consists of the augmentation of a few articles, thus:—Wheat and breadstuffs showed an increase in the month of £815,000, cotton £1,718,000, and wool £500,000—total £3,083,000. And the remaining balance of increase in imports, say £1,00,000, is not enough to justify a too confident conclusion that we have permanently recovered from our depression. Our colonial friends will also at once perceive that, as regards one of these three articles, wool, the increase in any one month this year, as compared with the same month last year, is of a merely fortuitous character, and by no means shows that the import of this article for the future months is to increase in the like proportion, or indeed to increase at all. It is nevertheless satisfactory to be able to note any check to the downward course of trade. The statistics of one description of export possess interest for all our colonial dependencies—we mean the export of British sinews and muscle—the emigration of men, women, and children. The Emigration Commissioners have recently issued their thirty-third report, and we see that the emigrants leaving the United Kingdom in 1872 amounted to nearly 300,110. This is a considerable increase on the preceding years, and is only 30,000 short of the average numbers that streamed away yearly from our shores, tempted by the gold-fields, in the period of five years—1850 to 1854.

It is not altogether unpleasant to contemplate the immense proportion of this outpouring which finds its way to the United States. During the past year, of the whole 30[illegible],000 persons, some 231,000 went to the United States, 32,000 went to British America, half that number to Australia, and rather less to "all other places." It is to be observed that the Irish emigration to the States is not, as one would have expected, the largest contribution to the great emigration thither, for, while 66,000 Irish chose the United States, 83,000 English and 12,000 Scotch did so too. Such a fact, we would submit, if we had any influence with the Australian powers that be, might lead them seriously to consider if they could not extend their harmony in reference to Customs duties, into the sphere of emigration, and by some conjoint action on their own part, and on the part of their English Agents-General, present the attractions of another England in Australia, and thereby divert some portion of the great stream of working Englishmen, who, in choosing the United States "seem ready to abandon their allegiance and run the risk of unknown laws." In our home trade there is increased cheerfulness and activity. The harvest period, so far, has been in all respects more favourable than was at one time feared, and although in quantity there will still prove to be a deficient yield, the grain is stated on high authority, to be of good quality and in excellent condition. This has not only stimulated agricultural industry, but has promoted trade in the various manufacturing districts, and the caution that has characterised most transactions for some time, and which has wisely limited peoples' commitments, has naturally led to accumulations which, although not so large as in 1872, are still telling in favour of trade. As we anticipated, the stringency of the money market has been gradually ameliorated. On the very day after the issue of our circular, namely 12th June, the rate of discount was reduced to 6 per cent., on the 19th July to 5 per cent., and then by successive steps to 3 per cent. which it reached on the 21st instant, and at that point it still remains. This very easy state of money cannot be expected to continue long, and we are not blind to the fact that we are still exposed to a renewal of the disturbances connected with the French indemnity payments to Germany. On the 5th proximo the last instalment amounting to £10,000,000 is to be handed over, and then this enormous transfer of capital from one country to another will be completed. It seems, now, wonderful, considering its magnitude, that it has not even more seriously affected the money market; but, unquestionably from time to time the mere transfer of capital has caused a pressure for money here. That was relaxed, however, when the sums had been paid, and were again set loose by Germany. But, behind the question of the transfer of capital from the possession or credit of the one government to that of the other, arises the question of the use to which the German Government would appropriate its funds and a cause of continued stringency will be found in the abstraction by that Government of gold from the general store for the purposes of Germany's new gold coinage. How long this may be in operation cannot at present be foreseen, but although Germany has up to this time coined some £40,000,000 to £50,000,000, there must be much more gold still taken for that purpose ere they have supplied the minimum of the country's daily business requirements.

Wool.—We had a very large attendance of buyers, and the most marked feature of the sales was the very active and keen competition of the foreigners, especially the French. For the first four weeks of the sale they seemed resolved to secure all the good combing wool offered, knowing that the subsequent series of sales this year will offer but a poor selection. It is estimated that they took, in all, not less than 120,000 bales. The home buyers were for some weeks quite excluded, and the foreign demand sufficed to send up prices for good combing wools 2d or 3d per lb. above May. Superior fleeces commanded throughout the entire series extreme rates, in some instances rather higher than the highest level attained last year. Greasy wools also showed an advance of about 2d above May, the best sorts sold at about that advance to the last; but inferior faulty parcels declined, and about one-half of the advance was lost on them during the course of the sales. The next series is fixed to commence on 2nd October, and the fifth and last series on 22nd November; together, they are not likely to contain more than 150,000 bales, and will afford the only supply to the trade for nearly six months to come. Hence we cannot anticipate any important alteration in values during the season. It must be borne in mind, however, that while wool has advanced there has been no corresponding movement in manufactured goods, and that complaints are very general both on the part of the English and foreign manufacturers that their profits have disappeared. It cannot be expected that they will long pay such prices for wool, if they are driving their machinery at a loss.

Preserved Meat.—Although the demand has been and still continues dull, there is some advance in prices. 6-lb tins beef and mutton, the stock of which is small, are chiefly inquired for. Mutton—2-lb. tins, 8½d; 4-lb. tins, 5½d; 6-lb. tins, 5½d; beef 2-lb. tins, 7½d; 4-lb. tins, 6½d; 6-lb. tins, 6½d; corned beef—2-lb. tins, 7½d; 4-lb. tins, 6½d; 6-lb tins, 8½d.

Tallow.—There has been a steady sale throughout the past month. Present prices are—Mutton fair to good 42s to 45s 6d per cwt.; beef, 40s to 41s 3d; quantity afloat, 4738 packages, against 5888 packages in 1872. Stock in first hands, 6330 packages, against 9555 last year.

Hides.—Dull, and difficult of sale. Sydney, 1st heavy, 6½d to 6¾d.

Leather has slightly improved in value, but the demand is still moderate, and the stocks said to be heavy.

Basils.—Strained, 10d to 16d; unstrained, 9½d to 13½d per lb.

Mimosa Bark.—There is a good demand for fine qualities, but inferior, of which the stock mostly consists, is little wanted. Adelaide—Ground, £10 to £10 15s; chopped, £8 to £9 12s 6d; long, £7 to £8 5s per ton. Melbourne and Tasmania—Ground, £8 10s to £9; chopped, £8 10s to £9; long, £6 10s to £8 per ton.

Copper has seen the improvement in price that we expected. There are indications of a renewed demand at last from India, and there has been a good deal purchased by our home consumers. The smelters' appliances and their make of copper have been considerably reduced in response to the advance in coals and to the demands for higher wages by the men, so that they cannot at once meet even this moderately increased consumption. Prices steadily advanced about £3 per ton till 27th instant, when small Chili charters were announced (1000 tons only), and this, coupled with cheap money, caused a rise of about another £3, the present price being £94 cash for Wallaroo.

Tin.—There is still a good demand, but continued arrivals of Australian tin and tin ore are affecting prices, so that the standards are still further reduced. Straits tin, £135 to £130; English tin £138 to £150; Australian ore, 74 per cent., £77.

New Zealand Hemp.—Dull and much quieter.

Oils.—Sperm: Arrivals from our colonies and the United States have been considerable, but, as before, chiefly on refiner's account. The price is now £91 per ton, for colonial.

Whale Fins.—Price is nominally £350; but as the result of the Davis Straits Fishery is hourly expected to be known, everything is in abeyance.

Copra is in limited demand, at £17 for Sydney.

Cotton seed is in better demand, and good quality is now worth £6 10s to £6 15s per ton.

Candle Nuts stationary, at £2 10s per ton for nuts, and £16 10s to £17 for kernels.

Kowrie Gum.—573 packages were offered at public sale on 24th ultimo, of which 400 have been sold. The following is the range of prices: Cleaned scraped, transparent, selected, 80s to 120s; scraped, part bold, 45s to 70s; medium in sorts, 36s 6d to 42s 6d; clean chips and pieces, 15s to 28s.

Wheat.—As already mentioned, our crops are larger in amount and much better in quality than was at one time expected; so that on the presumption that all goes well till the harvest is gathered, an importation to the same extent as last year, say 12,000,000 quarters, will supply our own shortcomings; but in France there is a great deficiency, and the consequence is, Mark Lane has gradually advanced. Australian wheat sells now at 63s per quarter of 496 lbs., ditto flour sells now at 47s 6d per 280 lbs.; and, as within the last few weeks the weather is less favourable (it is still a weather question)—as our stocks at 500,000 quarters less than they were last year—and, as the French Government have just taken off the surtax on wheat, indicative of a strong demand still existing among our neighbours—we see no chance of any present fall in prices, but a possibility of a further decided rise. This short supply of our own, still serious though not so serious as was at one time feared, and the much more serious short supply in France, make room for all which we can possibly receive from abroad, and ensure very satisfactory results for all Australian shipments arriving up to midsummer, 1874.

A KNOTTY CRICKETING QUESTION.—A cricketing puzzle is thus stated by the *Geelong Advertiser*:—"In a match on Saturday G. Rout got out in a rather singular manner. In striking at a ball, which had been called wide, he hit his wicket down, and the question asked afterwards was, 'Was not the ball, having been called wide, dead? Did the wicket go to the credit of the bowler?' There is no rule providing for such a case, and if all the circumstances are studied by any cricketer he can hardly fail to arrive at the same conclusion as the umpire, Mr. Birdsey, who gave the batsman out; the ball was not dead, inasmuch as if it had passed the longstop, two or more runs might have been got for it; the wicket did not count to the bowler."

A SNAKE BITE.—The Milton correspondent of the *Kiama Independent* writes:—A youth of about 17 named Henry Wood, in service with Mr. Thomas Garrad, was bitten by a snake on Thursday night. It appears that he was removing a portion of an old fence, and his task, with the exception of pulling up one post, was completed about 9 p.m. A lever was used for the purpose of raising the posts out of the ground, and in attempting to raise the last post the lever slipped off the fulcrum and fell, the lad falling with it on to something which pricked him on the arm. Deeming it of no consequence, he went at the post with redoubled energy, but feeling the pain in his arm increase, he went and informed Mr. Garrad of what had occurred, and he tied a ligature round the arm, and advised the youth to acquaint Dr. Ivimy (whose residence was close at hand) with the circumstance. The doctor, immediately concluding it to be a snake bite, scarified the swelled part, in which were two punctures. Ammonia was then injected into the veins of the arm, and a liberal allowance of brandy administered internally. During the night he was kept from sleeping. As soon as it could be done with safety, he was allowed to sleep, after which he rallied, and is now in a fair way of recovery.

A YANKEE LAWYER.—J. Passmore Hanbest, a Philadelphian of eccentric and penurious habits, died in that city on the 7th of August, aged 57 years. He commenced life as a farm labourer, but soon abandoned that and turned huckster, selling oysters and farm produce. Having early determined to become rich, he practised the utmost self-denial, and, being a man of much shrewdness, he took up the study of the law in his leisure hours; but he was repeatedly refused admission to the Bar, on account of objections to character. At length, however, in 1846, he got admitted. Tradition has it that this admission was thus brought about:—At the time there was agitated in Philadelphia and at Harrisburg the question of an increase of compensation to the Judges of the Supreme Court. Mr. Hanbest, seizing upon this agitation, had printed a great number of yellow placards, with flaming headlines, and his own name, solitary and alone, in huge type at the bottom; and these placards called a meeting of the town people to urge the increased pay, "which every consideration of justice" dictated. These were plentifully posted upon the fence surrounding Judge Gibson's residence, and when his Honor the following morning went into the street his eye was arrested by these dazzling posters. He sent, it is said, for the gentleman who was so greatly concerned in the prosperity of the jurists who adorned the Supreme Bench, and Mr. Hanbest presented himself in court. After the question of the town meeting was discussed, the shrewd lawyer edged in his grievance against the examiners, and the Judge swore him in as a member of the Bar. His practice was confined to the poorer class of clients, and these he handled, not for their good, but for his own. It is said that there are numerous instances where he compelled poor people to give him a judgment bond as a guarantee that his expenses and compensation for services would be settled, and then, without having rendered service, had the bond entered against their properties. He made a great deal of money in mysterious ways, and invested every dollar, above what was actually necessary to keep life in his body and clothes on his back, in real estate. Some ten or fifteen years ago he purchased the building No. 144, South Sixth-street, from the Taggart estate, and rented the entire place out to tenants, mainly lawyers, save a small dining-room and a diminutive kitchen in the rear. In this dining-room he received his clients, ate his meals, and slept. In one case, where a number of lawyers of high standing at the Bar were compelled to have a conference with Mr. Hanbest, they had to endure the nausea of the room and the disgusting sight of that person sitting at his desk with a mass of papers before him and a chicken pot-pie in a basin on his lap, from which he picked out the tid-bits with his fingers, and then deposited the bones on the floor at his side, where remained the *debris* of the preceding meal. About three years ago he was stricken with paralysis, and, after a while, was compelled, though it cost him many a pang, to be removed to the house where he expired. There was not an article of furniture in the place, save in an upper room, and there barely enough for the necessities of a sick room. Here he lingered for three months, with few friends to see him, and none of the comforts which declining years should bring with them, and there he died. His aim had been accomplished. Shortly before he died he said, "I started out, when I commenced the practice of the law, with the idea of dying the richest man at the Bar who had made his own money. I believe I have, and that idea is realised." It is stated that his estate will not fall far short of 1,000,000 dollars.—*New York Times.*

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—NOVEMBER 7.

City of Brisbane (s.), 504 tons, Captain Knight, from Brisbane 5th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Alexander, Miss Wainwright, Miss Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hunter and 2 children, Mr. and Mrs. Woodgate child and servant, Messrs. J. Dean, H. H. Elliott, H. M'Gloine, C. A. Barlow, G. Anthurs, and 9 in the steerage. A. S. N. Co., agents.

Helen Macgregor (s.), 250 tons, Captain Bedford, from Grafton. Passengers—Mrs M'Donald, Miss Abbey, Messrs. Hill, Sawden, Johnson, Tait, Butler, and 19 in the steerage. C. and R. R. Co., agents.

Rubicon, schooner, 57 tons, Captain Fleming, from Torquay (Tasmania) 1st instant. Nipper and Soo, agents.

Vere, French transport, steamer, 1633 tons, Captain Pacquement, from New Caledonia 1st instant.

Georgina, barque, 315 tons, Captain Clipperton, from Melbourne, in ballast, 1st instant. Captain, agent.

DEPARTURES.—NOVEMBER 7.

Rangatira (s.), for Melbourne.
You Yangs (s.), for Melbourne.
Duke of Edinburgh (s.), for Fiji.
Colonist, for Maryborough.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—NOVEMBER 8.

Cambridge, for Melbourne; Florence Irving (s.), for Brisbane; Phœbe (s.), for Manakau.

CLEARANCES.—NOVEMBER 7.

Rangatira (s.), 400 tons, Captain Paddle, for Melbourne. Passengers—Sub-lieutenant J. Hicks, Messrs. J. Hoskins, J. Martin, S. Matthews, J. S. Small, J. L. Peacock, Jevons, W. Stone, G. Partington, Smith, J. Williams, Myers, W. H. Skinner, F. Alderton, J. W. Walker, T. F. Fenton, T. W. Pane, G. Hart, J. Steane, Dyer.

Benmore, ship, 1460 tons, Captain Johnson, for London.

Jane Sprott, barque, 670 tons, Captain Osborne, for Shanghai.

Phœbe (s.), 600 tons, Captain Worsp, for the Manakau and New Zealand ports. Passengers—Mrs. Simpson and 2 children, Mrs. Woods, Messrs. T. Hill, F. Wentworth, G. Talbot, Vesul, Nichol, Stenages, Matthew, Bond, Jossil, Ackford, Ruley, Banny, James, Bradstock, Farquhar, Cariall, Simpson, and 27 in the steerage.

You Yangs (s.), 506 tons, Captain Clark, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. Brown, Mrs. M'Cartney servant and family (5), Mrs. Pepper, Miss Lenton, Mrs. Frazer, Miss Hudson, Captain Terrell, Rev. J. Goodwill, Messrs. F. Pearson, H. Polk, Fox, R. James, R. J. Cook, Frazer, R. Wilcox, R. Wright, J. Daniel, H. Duthie, P. Greig, J. Crowl, D. Spence, C. Clark, and 20 in the steerage.

COASTERS INWARDS.—NOVEMBER 7.

Esther, from the Manning, with 232 bags maize, 8000 feet cedar, 8 coops fowls; Tasmania (s.), from Wollongong, with 400 tons coal; Lismore, from the Richmond, with 7000 feet pine, 73 logs; Clara, from Newcastle, with 170 tons coal; Advance, from Bermagui, with 600 bags bark, 15 bags bacon; Woniora (s.), from Bulli, with 246 tons coal; Ripple, from Brisbane Water, with 25 bags hardwood; Maitland (s.), from the Hunter River, with 348 bales wool, 16 bales hay, 50 bags wheat, 1 bale skins, 45 bales wool, 20 bags maize, 11 cases wine, 51 hides, 1 ton old copper and iron, 7 bags bacon, and sundries; City of Newcastle, from Morpeth, with 340 bales hay.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—NOVEMBER 7.

Esther, Ino, Clara Crawford, for the Manning; Margaret, for Richmond River; Tasmania, Clara, for Newcastle; Woniora (s.), for Bulli; Ripple, for Brisbane Water.

IMPORTS.—NOVEMBER 7.

Rubicon, from Torquay: 74 packages potatoes, 650 bags flour, 20 bags bran.

EXPORTS.—NOVEMBER 7.

You Yangs (s.), for Melbourne: 20 casks pork, 282 spikes, 10 tons shale, 886 cases fruit, 20 bags nuts, 56 kegs butter, 12 casks brandy, 93 bags oysters.

Colonist, for Maryborough: 20 cases schnapps, 17 cases oilstores, 417 bags maize, 10 bags bran, 12 bales hay, 2 packages tea, 135 cases kerosene, 57 tons coke, 131 packages.

Balclutha (s.), for Rockhampton: 226 cases wine, 10 cases sarsaparilla, 52 packages tea, 1 package opium, 219 bundles wire, 17 casks beer, 205 bags maize, 70 boxes candles, 75 cases oilstores, 10 cases cordials, 20 bags bran, 48 dray boxes, 11 kegs butter, 25 bundles 25 bars iron, 3 horses, 134 cases fruit, 332 packages.

Jane Sprott, for Shanghai: 1000 tons coal, Bulli Coal Co.

Benmore, for London: 185 tons copper, 28 tons tin ore, 34 tons tin, 850 casks treacle, 108 casks tallow, 168 bales leather, 14 bales pelt, 3462 cases meat, 52 cases glue, 931 tons copra, 15 tons shankbones, 9168 horns, 58 packages hair, 49 bales cotton, 13 bales skins, 4191 bales wool.

City of Brisbane (s.), from Brisbane: 213 bags tine ore, P. Sheridan; 155 bags tin ore, T. and J. Skinner; 120 bags tin ore, D. Bissmeiedter; 93 bags tin ore M'Donald, Brothers; 154 bags tin ore, H. A. Thompson; 20 bags copper ore, Sharwood and Gilbert; 290 hides, 17 bales skins, 4 bales wool, 1 pocket wool, 1 package skins, 2 packages hides, 3 bale skins, 2 bags horse hair, Mort and Co.; 18 bales wool, H. Beit and Co.; 28 bales wool, Mercantile Bank; 56 bales wool, Scottish A. L. Co.; 4 bales wool, 3 bundles skins, 137 hides, 2 hides, Tidswell, Wilson, and Co.; 67 cases fruit, and sundries, Order.

SHIPS' MAILS.

MAILS will close at the General Post Office, as follows:—

FOR ALL NEW ZEALAND PORTS.—By the Phœbe, this day, at 9 a.m.

FOR BRISBANE MARYBOROUGH AND ROCKHAMPTON.—By the Florence Irving, this day, at 11 a.m.

FOR SHANGHAI.—By the Liberator, this day, at noon.

FOR FIJI.—By the Meteor, this day, at noon.

CUSTOM HOUSE.—Entered Outwards, November 7: Noumea, schooner, 142 tons, Captain Cooper, for New Caledonia; Duke of Sutherland, ship, 1047 tons, Captain Louttet, for London; Florence Irving (s.), 626 tons, Captain Phillips, for Rockhampton; Jane Sprott, barque, 670 tons, Captain Osborn, for Shanghai; Atalanta, barque, 986 tons, Captain Avery, for San Francisco.

THE TORRES STRAITS ROUTE.—We learn that the Flintshire (s.), 1840 tons, will leave Brisbane in January, and will be followed by the Tom Morton (1400 tons, to take her departure in February.

The s.s. Alexandra came off the Patent Slip, at Melbourne, yesterday. She had not sustained any injury, and would leave for Sydney to-night.

The brig Prestige, and Mary Frances, barque, passed Gabo Island on the 5th instant, bound for Newcastle.

The French transport Vere is a screw steamer of 1600 tons, and took out a number of Communists to New Caledonia. She left that port on the 1st instant, and reports moderate winds until Thursday, when she encountered a heavy southerly squall which blew the jib from the bolt ropes. The Vere will leave again within a week for Otago, from thence proceed to Campbell Island, and afterwards will return to New Caledonia, returning to Sydney in August next for the purpose of conveying a party of scientific gentlemen to Campbell Island to make observations on the transit of Venus.

The Helen MacGregor left Grafton at 8.15 a.m. on Wednesday, and arrived in Sydney yesterday morning. Experienced moderate N.E. winds with high sea to Croudy Head, from thence strong southerly. Her cargo comprises: 950 bags tin ore, 300 bags maize, 500 cases meat, 200 bunches bananas, 60 bags oysters, 4 coops fowls, 6 cases eggs and sundries. Passed the Agnes Irving (s.) off Ketogoro Point.

The City of Brisbane left Brisbane on Wednesday, at noon. She has had showery, unsettled weather, with variable winds and much lightning during the passage. Entered Sydney Heads on Friday, at 11 a.m., and arrived at the wharf at noon. The James Paterson (s.) was passed on Wednesday, at 10 p.m., 10 miles south of Point Danger, and the Lady Young (s.) on Thursday, at 5 p.m., off Port Macquarie.

The destination of the barque Ferdinand, which sailed on Thursday, is Shanghai.

The barque Georgina, from Melbourne in ballast, arrived yesterday evening, but had to anchor in Spring Cove.

THE SHIP EASTERN LIGHT.—We learn by telegram from the harbour master at Newcastle, that the Eastern Light, which touched the bar in coming out, was not making so much water as was first reported, viz., 6 inches per hour. At 4 p.m. on the 6th instant, she was about 12 miles to the eastward of Nobby's under canvas, the Government steam-tug Ajax in company. Last night at sundown, a ship with a steamer in attendance, was in sight from the South Head, distant 10 miles; the wind was from the S.W., and the ship was under canvas and heading to the northward; this would likely prove to be the Eastern Light.

The boilers and engines lately imported from England for the A. S. N. Co.'s s. City of Melbourne have been placed on board, and the ship will shortly be ready for active service.

The A. S. N. Co.'s s. Rangatira sailed yesterday afternoon for Melbourne. Among her passengers are the New Zealand portion of the Volunteer Rifle competitors at the forthcoming contest.

The clipper ship Benmore leaves to-day for London, taking a very large and valuable cargo. She appears in excellent trim, and with only ordinary weather should make a rapid passage.

NEWCASTLE.

ARRIVALS.

November 6.—Pet, barque, Kapp, from Sydney.
November 7.—Ballina (s.), from Sydney.
November 7.—Meander, barque, Reid, from Wallaroo, with 370 tons copper ore.

DEPARTURES.

November 6.—Wallaroo, barque, Sweet, for Wallaroo, with 700 tons coal.
November 6.—Eastern Light, ship, Parry, for San Francisco, with 1663 tons coal.
November 6.—Ella Gladstone, brig, Walsh, for Adelaide, with 340 tons coal.
November 6.—Dianella, schooner, Le Brant, for Port Mackay, with 122 tons coal.
November 6.—Blackbird (s.), Torrens, for Melbourne, with 600 tons coal.
November 6.—New England (s.), for Grafton.

COASTERS INWARDS.

November 6.—Marie, Peri, Prompt, Rebecca, Venture, Catherine Agnes, from Sydney.

MELBOURNE.

ARRIVALS.

November 1.—Wakefield, from Boston; Legal Tender, from San Francisco; Chance, from Foochow; Jeannie Oswald, from Newcastle.

November 2.—Alexandra (s.), from Sydney.

November 3.—Victoria (s.), from Batavia; Dandenong (s.), from Sydney; Rachel, from Foochow; Gland Hamilton (s.), from New Zealand.

November 4.—City of Adelaide (s.), from Sydney; George Cranshaw, from Gottenburg; Madonna, from Mauritius; Stranger, from Newcastle.

DEPARTURES.

November 1.—Fyen, for Newcastle.
November 3.—Adelheid, Protege, Mary Francis, for Newcastle.

GROUNDING OF THE S. S. ALEXANDRA.—The s. s. Alexandra, which left Sydney on the afternoon of Wednesday for Melbourne, got aground in the West Channel early on Saturday morning. She had on board over 110 passengers, amongst whom were the members of the Italian Opera Company, and as she had been appointed to perform the branch mail service for the South Australian Government this month, she had necessarily a very large quantity of coals on board. Before approaching the Heads the weather had become exceedingly tempestuous, and this determined Captain Stuart to come inside, especially as he had such a number of passengers on board, the majority of whom were anxious to reach Melbourne at as early an hour as possible. In coming up the West Channel the steamer took the ground near No. 6 buoy, and stuck there. On the information reaching Melbourne the steamers Mystery and Resolute were dispatched to her assistance, and made an attempt to get her off, but without success, the wind blowing hard from the westward, and there being a nasty sea on. The passengers and mails were taken on board the Mystery, and brought on to the bay, where they arrived about 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The steamer Warhawk, with a lighter in tow, was then dispatched to the West Channel, and the deckload of fruit and some 40 tons of coal were taken out of the Alexandra. The weather during all this time continued exceedingly rough, and the work of getting out the cargo was one of much difficulty. Yesterday morning the tugs were successful, and the Alexandra was got afloat again at twenty minutes past 9, and at 11 a.m. she left for the bay, where she arrived at 3 p.m., apparently not a whit the worse for the mishap. Attention has ere now been directed to the obstructions in the way of the safe navigation of the West Channel, and many shipmasters and others have expressed opinions to the effect that the black buoy is not in the most advantageous position for their guidance. The Steam Navigation Board held an inquiry on Monday into the cause of the grounding of the steamer Alexandra as she was entering the Heads on Saturday morning. It appeared from the evidence of the witnesses examined, that at the time of the occurrence, 3 o'clock on Saturday morning, the weather was showery, with squalls. It was at times difficult to see the length of the steamer. The Swan Spit light was passed about a cable's length on the port side. Soon after entering the Heads, the engines were eased, on the order of Captain Stewart, who remained on the bridge with the second officer at the wheel. When the Swan Spit light had been passed, the steamer bore up for the channel, keeping the lightship some three or four points on the starboard bow. The vessel soon afterwards struck. A seaman was ready with the lead, but soundings were not taken. The captain had given orders to keep a good look out for the buoy. He had also directed the lead to be prepared, and that two men should be placed at the wheel. There was no reason why the steamer should not have been kept outside until daylight. Captain Stewart made a statement which was in substance as follows:—He held a certificate as master from the Board, but not an exempt certificate from the Pilot Board. On reaching the Heads before daylight the weather was comparatively fine, and as he carried the mails he determined to push on. The lights were all distinctly in view. After passing the high light at Shortland's Bluff, the weather became squally. He then shaped his course for the Swan Spit, and picked up No. 1 black buoy. The engines were at half speed, and he had directed that a man should heave the lead, and that a good look-out should be kept. Soon after he was abreast of the Swan Spit light. Knowing there was a spit running out to the eastward, he did not think it prudent, with the steamer drawing 14 feet 6 inches, to keep inside the buoy, so he went three cables' length to the east until he got the high light of Shortland's Bluff in a line with the Swan Spit. Not seeing the buoy at the end of the Spit he hauled round to the westward, bringing the West Channel lights three or four points on the starboard bow, and gave orders to heave the lead, when some one sang out "three fathoms," and the ship immediately struck. When day broke he found his position was just inside No. 6 white buoy. Not seeing a pilot outside the Heads, he determined to bring the steamer in, feeling confident he could do so with safety, having been up the channel once at least every fortnight for the last ten years. He attributed the accident to having overrun his distance between the Swan Spit light and the buoy. The Board found that the grounding was caused by the wrongful act of the captain in attempting to navigate his vessel through the West Channel at night without a pilot, contrary to the 73rd clause of the Passengers and Harbours Navigation Statute, he not being an exempt master. His certificate was ordered to be suspended for one month.—*Argus*, November 3.

The s.s. Victoria, which left this port with the Chiarini Circus troupe for Sydney, and afterwards conveyed them from Sydney to Batavia, has arrived here on her return voyage via Samarang. She encountered unusually heavy weather in the vicinity of the Leuwin when on the outward passage, but, nevertheless, accomplished the run in twenty-six days, and landed her passengers with their horses and paraphernalia in first-rate order. Since her last appearance here the flush deck of the Victoria has had erected on it a large and very commodious and substantial deckhouse aft, just over the saloon companion. The house is elegantly and comfortably fitted up for the use of Captain Moore and his officers. The Victoria remained ten days at Batavia, loading up with sugar, rice, &c., and she was detained for a similar period at Samarang taking in cargo. She left Batavia at 3 p.m. on September 25, and Samarang at half-past 6 p.m. on the 9th ultimo, and cleared Lombok Straits at 8 p.m. on the 12th, rounding Cape Leuwin at noon on the 24th ultimo, and passing Cape Otway at 10 a.m. on the 2nd instant. Port Phillip Heads were entered at 8 p.m. the same day, and she anchored at Queenscliff for the night, coming up to Hobson's Bay yesterday morning, and anchoring off the railway pier, Sandridge, at 11 a.m. On the return trip, Captain Moore reports having experienced favourable winds and fine weather throughout. The Victoria brings a large cargo of sugar, rice, coffee, pepper, sago, &c., for this port and Sydney.—*Argus*, 4th November.

ADELAIDE.

ARRIVALS.

October 22.—Osari, from Mauritius; Martha Birnie, from London.

October 26.—Maitland, from Vancouver's Island; Lily, from Newcastle.

November 1.—Lady Elizabeth, from London; Byga, from the Baltic; Hortensia, from Bourbon.

DEPARTURES.

October 26.—Darra, for London.
November 3.—City of Adelaide, for London.

LAUNCESTON.

ARRIVAL.

October 31.—Annie, from Newcastle.

CLEARANCE.

October 31.—Tien Tsin, barque, 334, Collins, for Sydney. Cargo: 1317 bags wheat, 1750 bags bark, 120 bags potatoes, 60 half-chests tea, 50 bags oatmeal, 25 packages basils, 9 packages sundries.

The fears of the friends of Mr. Brown, the purchaser of the little steamer Resolute, and of those on board, as to the safety of vessel and crew, were set at rest yesterday by the following notice on the board at the telegraph office:—"Resolute, arrived at Low Heads, at 10.30 a.m., towed in by the cutter Alice Maud, appeared all right."—*Hobart Town Mercury*, November 1.

[BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.]

MELBOURNE.

ARRIVALS.

November 6.—King Oscar, Sydney Griffiths, from Newcastle; Leonidas, from Richmond River; Minnie Bell from San Francisco; Baroda (s.), from Sydney; Money Nich, from Puget Sound.

November 1.—Tararua (s.), Catherine Jane, from Newcastle; Wentworth (s.), from Sydney.

WINDS AND WEATHER.—NOVEMBER 7.

N. S. WALES.	9 A.M.	3 P.M.
Tenterfield	W. Fine, clear	NW. Fine
Casino	Calm. Fine	NW. Fine
Grafton	SW. Fine, clear	SW. Fine
Clarence Heads	SW. Fine	SW. Fine
Glen Innes	W. Fine	W. Fine
Inverell	W. Fine	Calm. Fine
Port Macquarie	W. Fine	SW. Fine
West Kempsey	W. Fine	W. Fine
Armidale	W. Fine	Calm. Fine
Tamworth	Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Gunnedah	SE. Fine	Calm. Fine
Narrabri	S. Fine	SW. Fine
Wee Waa	W. Fine	W. Fine
Pilliga	Calm. Fine	NW. Fine, clear
Walgett	W. Fine	W. Fine
Bourke	S., light. Clear, fine	Calm. Fine
Muswellbrook	W. Fine	Calm. Fine
Murrurundi	W. Fine	Calm. Fine
Singleton	W. Fine	W. Fine
Maitland	W., fresh. Fine	W., strong. Fine
Newcastle	SW. Fine, sea smooth	W. & N., fresh.
Barrenjoey	Fresh, fine	W. Dull
Windsor	NE. Fine	W. Cloudy
Sydney	WSW. Fine, much sea	SE. Cloudy
South Head	SW. Fine, not much sea	ESE. Dull, cloudy
Wollongong	W. Fine, cloudy	SE. Showery
Kiama	Clear, fine	Calm. Raining
Jervis Bay	SW., light. Dull	SSW. Like rain
Goulburn	W. Fine	W. Showery
Braidwood	WSW. Cloudy, cold	SW. Showery
Araluen	SW. Cloudy, cold	SW. Showery
Moruya	SW. Dull, cloudy, cold	W. Showery
Queanbeyan	Calm. Dull, cold	W. Cold showers
Bombala	S. Cold, showery	W. Cloudy, dull
Cooma	SW. Very cold, like rain	W. Showery
Eden	SW. gale. Like rain	SW., very heavy gale
Gabo Island	SW. gale. Fog and rain	SW., very heavy gale
Yass	Calm. Fine	W. Showery
Gundagai	W. Fine	Calm. Showery
Tumut	SW. Fine	Calm. Raining
Kiandra	SW. Raining	W. Raining
Albury	WSW. Cloudy, cold	SW. Showery
Mount Victoria	W. Fine	W. Dull
Bathurst	SW. Fine	W. Fine
Carcoar	W. Cloudy, cold	W. Fine
Hill End	S. Fine	S. Fine
Tambaroora	Calm. Cloudy	W. Fine
Mudgee	WNW. Fine	WNW. Fine
Gulgong	NE. Fine	W. Fine
Cassilis	WNW. Fine	WNW. Fine
Merriwa	SW. Fine	WNW. Fine
Coolah	Calm. Fine	WNW. Fine
Wellington	Calm. Fine	W. Cloudy
Dubbo	S. Fine	NE. Fine.
Orange	S. Fine	
Forbes	Calm. Fine	
Grenfell	Calm. Fine	
Young	Calm. Fine	
Wagga Wagga	W. Fine.	

VICTORIA.		Bar.	Ther.
Melbourne	WSW., moderate, fine	30·112	56·1
Queenscliff	SSW., mod. Very fine	30·12	65·
Cape Schank	SW., mod. Cloudy	29·65	58·
Cape Otway	S., mod. Cloudy	29·960	56·
Portland	S., mod. Cloudy	30·202	61·
Port Albert	WSW., strong. Cloudy	30·047	59·
S. AUSTRALIA.			
Guichen Bay	SSW., light. Fine, cool	30·116	52·4
Adelaide	WSW., light. Cloudy	30·056	54·
M'Donnell Bay	SW., moderate. Fine		
Peak	E., moderate. Clear		49·
Alice Springs	SE. Fine		
Daly Waters	SE., light. Fine, sultry		
Port Darwin	Raining, squally		74·

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

G. KISS.—At the Bazaar, at 11, Horses, Vehicles, &c.
J. STEWART.—At his Bazaar, at 11, Horses, Harness, &c.
H. MOON.—At his Rooms, at 11, Furniture, Pianoforte, Fancy Goods, &c.
BRADLEY, NEWTON, AND LAMB.—At their Rooms, at 11, Household Furniture and Effects; at 12, Buggy.
LISTER AND GRISDALE.—At 118, Gill-street, at 11; Household Furniture, Glassware, &c.
A. CHANDLER AND CO.—On the premises, Scandinavian Hall, at a quarter to 11, American Chairs, Fittings, &c.
A. MOORE AND CO.—At their Mart, at 11, Drapery, Clothing, Watches, &c.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—The *Clarence Examiner* reports that a young man, named Charles Meyer, met with an accident at the Australian Meat Works, Ramornie, on Sunday week, which resulted in his death the following day. Meyer was engaged assisting to catch a horse, which had been driven into one corner of the fence, when he took up a pole, and, placing one end against the fence, instead of holding the other with his hands, pressed it against his body, though cautioned not to do so, when the animal made a rush at the pole, and, carrying it away with some force, ruptured the intestines of Meyer, who, despite medical aid, which was quickly procured, lingered only until the following day, when he expired. The deceased was a married man, his wife arriving on the river by the Agnes Irving to find her husband dead, and his parents, who reside in Sydney, are both living. Deceased was only twenty-four years of age.

BREAKFAST.—EPPS'S COCOA.—GRATEFUL AND COMFORTING.—"By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws, which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavoured beverage which may save us many heavy doctor's bills."—*Civil Service Gazette*. Made simply with boiling water or milk. Each packet is labelled—"JAMES EPPS & Co., Homœopathic Chemists, London."—ADV.

"Berkeley, September, 1869.—Gentlemen, I feel it a duty I owe to you to express my gratitude for the great benefit I have derived by taking Norton's Camomile Pills. I applied to your agent, Mr. Bell, Berkeley, for the above-named pills, for wind in the stomach, from which I suffered excruciating pain for a length of time having tried nearly every remedy prescribed, but without deriving any benefit at all. After taking two bottles of your valuable pills I was quite restored to my usual state of health. Please give this publicity for the benefit of those who may thus be afflicted. I am, Sir, yours truly, HENRY ALLPASS. To the Proprietors of Norton's Camomile Pills."—ADV.

I WAS BALD.—This is to certify that I have used Professor BERRY'S TRICOPHEROUS for the last three months. The hair at the sides and back of my head was fast falling off at the time I first applied it. It has been fully restored, being now healthy and vigorous. The top of my head has been bald for some years past, but since using the Tricopherous the hair has commenced to grow, and I have full confidence of its final success.—J. B. PASSMORE, University-place, New York.—ADV.

We are requested to call attention to Bradley, Newton, and Lamb's sale, this day, of furniture, pianofortes, pictures, Abbott buggy, &c., &c., commencing at 11 o'clock.—ADV.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY SYDNEY.

Latitude 33° 51' 41". Longitude 10h. 4m. 46s.
Magnetic variation 9° 37' 22" East. 19th March, 1873.
The time ball is dropped daily (Sunday excepted), at 1 p.m Sydney mean time, or 2h. 55m. 14s. a.m., Greenwich mean time.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

Barometers corrected to 32° Faht., and to mean sea level.
Velocity of wind, measured in miles per hour, and the force in lbs. on the square foot, deduced from velocity.
Rainfall and evaporation measured in inches.
Scales of { Humidity, 0 to 100. Cloudy sky, 0 to 10. Ozone, 0 to 10.

NOVEMBER 6, 1873. CIVIL RECKONING.

Hour.	Barometer.	Temperature in Shade.	Humidity.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. Velocity.	Wind. Force.	Cloudy sky.	Rain.	Ozone.
A.M. 9	29·835	60·2	91	S.	19	1·8	10	0·31	9·0
P.M. 3	·806	67·6	85	S.S.W.	24	2·9	10		
9	·880	54·6	68	S.W.	11	0·6	9		9·0
Mean	29·83?	58·5	87·7		18	1·8	9·?		9·0

Evaporation in 24 hours, 0·061 inches.

SELF-REGISTERING THERMOMETERS.

Shade { Maximum ... 6?·9 | Sun—maximum ... 95·0
Shade { Minimum ... 6?·? | Grass—minimum ... 56·6

Thermometer, with black bulb in black wool, and protected from wind, maximum 115·6.

Temperature of sea water, 3 feet below the surface, at Fort Denison, at 9 a.m., 64·7.

Total rainfall from January 1 to November 7, 60·361 inches.

Average rainfall of previous 14 years for period January 1 to November 1, 47·558 inches.

Average annual rainfall of the preceding 14 years, 50·070 inches.

METEOROLOGICAL STATIONS.

Arranged in order of latitude, with distance from the coast, and height above sea, where it is known.

Only fourteen of the stations have barometers and hygrometers.

STATIONS.	Least distance from East coast in miles.	Height above sea in feet.	At 9 A.M.—Nov. 7, 1873. Barometer.	Temperature in shade.	Humidity.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. Force.	For 24 hours previous to 9 a.m. Maximum.	Minimum.	Rain in inches.
Bourke	393		—	—	—	S.	—	81·9	58·5	0
Narrabri	196		—	—	—	S.	1·0	71·9	45·5	0
Armidale	80	3278	—	55·2	—	W.	4·0	64·2	46·4	0·30
P. Macquarie	1		29·921	65·9	—	W.	9·0	75·0	52·4	0·16
Murrurundi	94	1545	—	—	—	W.	—	81·1	42·8	0
Cassilis	120		—	—	—	WSW.	—	65·1	43·2	0·2
Dubbo	182		—	—	—	S.	—	82·9	44·9	0
Mudgee	121	1500	—	—	—	WSW.	—	60·6	45·0	0
W. Maitland	18		—	—	—	W.	16·0	74·9	54·3	0·88
Newcastle	1	112	29·860	60·7	59	SW.	0·6	74·8	49·3	0·78
Orange	124	2851	—	—	—	S.	1·0	59·9	41·0	0·00
Bathurst	96	2200	29·931	52·0	65	SW.	4·0	72·8	41·5	0
Mt. Victoria	61	3490	30·008	53·?	81	W.	0·2	64·9	38·9	0·02
Woodford	50	2192	29·760	52·0	—	W.	0·5	63·9	46·9	0·05
Forbes	176		—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	65·2	44·1	0
Parramatta	16		—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	—	62·1	0
Sydney	5	155	29·856	60·0	71	W.	1·4	61·9	50·8	0·40
Young	140		—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	65·0	36·1	0
Wollongong	0		—	—	—	W.	1·0	61·9	52·2	0·57
Goulburn	51	2129	29·875	53·4	67	W.	0·0	66·0	43·6	0·11
Wagga	161		—	—	—	W.	1·0	60·1	43·9	0
C. St. George	0	170	29·798	60·6	91	SW.	4·0	58·2	50·6	0
Queanbeyan	60		—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	58·2	45·1	0·16
Kiandra	88	4640	29·872	40·2	84	SW.	16·0	45·2	17·8	0·45
Cooma	52	2637	—	—	—	SW.	16·0	57·6	37·8	0
Albury	175	6?3	29·978	60·1	71	WSW.	4·0	69·4	34·3	0·07
Eden	0	107	29·80	54·7	66	SW.	16·0	69·0	50·1	0·20

Raining at Kiandra. Heavy gale and thick rain at Gabo Island.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDUM FOR NOVEMBER 8, 1873.

Object.	Rises.	Sets.	Phases of the Moon.	
	h. m.	h. m.		
Sun	4 55	6 33	Full moon	5th
Moon	10 48 p.m.	7 10 a.m.	Last quarter	13th
Mercury	6 5 a.m.	8 32 p.m.	New moon	20th
Venus	3 51 a.m.	4 50 p.m.	First quarter	27th
Mars	9 5 a.m.	11 22 p.m.		
Jupiter	2 41 a.m.	2 28 p.m.	Moon's age, 17 6 days	
Saturn	9 52 a.m.	11 50 p.m.		

MOON.—Perigee, 2nd; Apogee, 14th; in Equator, 2nd; G. N. Declination, 9th; in Equator, 16th; G. S. Declination, 23rd; in Equator, 30th; Perigee, 30th.

High water at Fort Denison, a.m., 10h. 32m.; p.m., 10h. 54m.

H. C. RUSSELL, Government Astronomer.

SPECIAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

MR. H. BROWNJOHN, 175, Bell's-chambers, Pitt-street, having many applications for the purchase and rental of houses, &c., on his books, begs to notify the same to proprietors of house property in Sydney and suburbs.

Mr. B. intends to publish WEEKLY a list of all property in his hands, and intimates THAT NO CHARGE WILL BE MADE FOR PUBLICATION without the property is let or sold.

The attention of owners of allotments is drawn to this notice, as well as owners of property generally.

A list of property for sale and rental will be DAILY ON VIEW AT HIS OFFICE.

Mr. B. further intimates that he is prepared to enter into arrangements with parties leaving the colony to collect Rents, Annuities, &c., and, if necessary, to ADVANCE on the same, or make payable, at FIXED PERIODS, in any part of the world, provided the management of the property and collection of the proceeds are left in his hands, for which AMPLE SECURITY, if necessary, will be given.

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THE LECTIONARY.

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY, NOVEMBER 9.
MORNING.—Daniel vi.; Hebrews ii. and iii. to v. 7.
EVENING.—Daniel vii. v. 9, or Daniel xii.; John i. to v. 29.

The Sydney Morning Herald.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1873.

In the Legislative Assembly, yesterday,

Ministers stated, in answer to questions, that the mails for Raymond Terrace on the morning of the 2nd instant were taken by mistake to Morpeth; that the Raymond Terrace postmaster received an allowance for conveying the mails to and from the steamers; and that on the 13th August last Mr. Cameron authorized Mr. Dunn, who is at present in London, to execute on his behalf a bond on the mail contract, subject to modifications.

Mr. THOMAS ROBERTSON presented a petition from upwards of 600 free selectors and others of the district of Hume, in favour of amendments in the Crown Lands Acts, including the adding of the interest on the unpaid balances to the principal for conditional purchases.

Mr. BURNS brought up the report from the Select Committee on the Cohen's Estate Act Amendment Bill.

Mr. BUCHANAN obtained leave to introduce a Bill to legalize Marriage with a Deceased Wife's Sister, and the bill was subsequently brought up and read a first time.

The petitions presented on Thursday were ordered to be printed.

Mr. NELSON moved the second reading of the Dogs Registration Bill, the principal object of which was to check the nuisance arising from useless or dangerous dogs being at large. The bill provided for the annual registration of all dogs at the nearest Court of Petty Sessions, and the payment of a fee of five shillings for every registration. It also provided that dogs should wear collars bearing the names and residences of their owners, and for the seizure and destruction, under certain limitations, of unregistered and dangerous dogs, with penalties to be imposed upon owners for any damage committed by them. The hon. member read letters from the Hon. G. H. COX (of Mudgee), Messrs. Smith, Brothers (of the district of Bathurst), the Chief-Inspector of Sheep, and a petition from squatters to the Minister for Lands, in favour of legislation such as he proposed in reference to dogs, in consequence of the losses which had been sustained by sheep owners from vicious and, in some instances, useless dogs. He added that the bill was urgently required in the country districts, but that it was also wanted in thickly populated localities, as the dog nuisance was a matter of general complaint, in support of which statement he read letters from the Glebe and other populous places.

Mr. TUNKS feared that the bill would put many persons to great inconvenience, and especially so in the country districts, where the owners of valuable dogs would have to travel long distances for the purpose of registering them in terms of the bill.

Mr. JACOB was of opinion that a bill was required to remove some of the evils complained of, but the defects of this bill were so numerous that he could not support it until it was greatly amended.

Mr. DRIVER pointed out inconsistencies in the bill, and in order that time might be afforded for its further consideration, he moved the adjournment of the debate for a fortnight.

Mr. STEWART thought that under the Towns Police Act most of the dangers and nuisances from dogs could be suppressed. It appeared to him that the hon. member for Orange wanted to drive dogs out of existence. He moved the adjournment to Friday, the 28th November.

Mr. LACKEY supported the adjournment, as he believed that this bill contained some dangerous provisions.

Mr. NELSON consented to the adjournment to the day proposed by Mr. Stewart, which was accordingly agreed to.

The remaining Orders of the Day were postponed.

The House then adjourned at 6.24 to 4 p.m. on Tuesday next.

WE almost regret to find that some of the opinions expressed by Mr. DAVID BUCHANAN in reference to the absence of the GOVERNOR are responded to by the inner monitor which men are obliged to hear, however unpleasing. It is nevertheless true that what Mr. BUCHANAN has uttered with rudeness has been whispered by a large number of sober men who wish the GOVERNOR no ill, and are deeply interested in the success of his Administration. His strong *penchant* for a fine horse and the performances of the racecourse is a matter with which many sympathise. No persons perhaps have any right to complain. Whether it is in good taste for a Governor to select one kind of amusement for special patronage is another question, since it inevitably warps the judgment in general affairs. Our Governors have commonly exercised very moderately their personal preferences in the amusements which they have chosen, and the thought not only of what was lawful, but what was expedient, seems to have had its due weight. They have not been pointed out as distinguished amateurs so as to be identified with any particular section, or so as to disqualify themselves for acting with the impartial indifference which is desirable where opinions and passions are divided. By this wise discrimination they have made their path smooth where it would otherwise have grown in time extremely rugged and thorny. In the connections of the racecourse there is an element which is at least questionable, and which becomes more so when the usual stimulant of the betting-book is a part of the concern. Over the conduct of a private gentleman the world has no right to maintain any watchful jealousy; but it is different when the representative of the QUEEN determines by his countenance the position of public amusements and pleasures, and becomes really responsible for their general influence.

There were other causes which seemed to make the absence of the GOVERNOR from his post a matter of peculiar regret. By the advice of his Ministers, he has forwarded a despatch to the SECRETARY OF STATE on the affairs of Fiji. It was particularly necessary that he should follow it up and keep the English Ministry informed of the progress of events,—that he should be on the spot to give instant notice of any intelligence that may reach him. It was still more important that he should be present in the existing state of his Government. He has received a notification of the most serious vacancy which can occur in the administration of public justice, and at the date of the resignation he is absent from his place. It is possible also that some accident may occur to the Ministry which may require instant action on the part of the QUEEN's representative, and during this crisis he is not in a condition to act. We have a telegraph, it is true, but which the axe of a hostile party may easily destroy. We do not intend to imply that there are no times for relaxations or visits allowable to a Governor; but the extreme care of the Royal instructions in limiting his discretion certainly expresses anything but indifference to his place of abode, and implies that whether in peace or war a Governor is something more than a stick or a stone.

The presence of a Governor, when a judicious man, if it does not control, will greatly assist a Government during the sitting of Parliament. For the most part the gentlemen entrusted with this office have had considerable experience, and the disinterestedness of their advice to the Executive may reconcile differences, and tend to keep its members together. But it is not a pleasant reply, when his interposition is necessary and in the midst of a session, to hear that he is gazing at the performances of Don Juan 500 miles away, while Mr. PARKES perhaps is struggling for existence. "Everything in its season." We do not think, therefore, that the ill-nature of the criticisms of Mr. BUCHANAN ought to make the GOVERNOR overlook the inappropriateness of his recent occupation to his great responsibilities, or that we should be justified in suppressing what is repeated around us by men who are no enemies to Sir HERCULES ROBINSON, but are rather his sincere well-wishers.

There is one part of this subject of very great moment. There have been repeated accidents which have suggested to the colonists that the Governorship is a useless expense. Long absences, from various causes, lead the people to imagine that what they frequently do without they might dispense with altogether. We do not indeed require that the continuance of a service should be uninterrupted in order to render it useful. But in royalty the immortality of the king is a fiction which disguises the mournful reality. The old French formula was: "The king is dead—long live the king." There is, however, a propriety in remembering that the ready dispensing with forms leads sooner or later to their abandonment, and with this the loss of the thing symbolized. The Governor is the visible link which connects a dependency with the Empire, and when a link is lost the chain is of little value.

We have made these observations with freedom, but without intending offence, and we consider that we give a proof of the sincerity of our convictions when we express an apparent concurrence with Mr. DAVID BUCHANAN.

IF SCHLEGEL's opinion be correct, the Fine Arts can only flourish under sunny skies, rocked by the scent-burthened breezes of a southern clime. Ice, chill winds, prevailing mists, a bare and irresponsive soil—a drear winter, lasting many months, checking the glorious flow of life—these are influences which mould a hardy and indomitable race of people; but they prove not a fertile seed-bed for the arts of poetry, painting, and sculpture. In England and France they have found a sort of borderland, where the seed, transplanted from Greece to an artificially-prepared soil, has, after a careful process of nursing, been made to grow as oranges and some other exotics are coaxed into a difficult development. Rome was almost too far north; but there were other reasons which prevented Art from settling kindly in the Mistress City. The heart of the nation was swollen, cankered with the lust of conquest, and the Art that existed was dragged thither by force of arms, and of riches gained by military spoliation. Before the soldier drew from Greece the storied marble of her sculptors, there was no Art in Rome worth the name, and subsequently, under the fostering care of Greek artists, there grew around them schools of painting, sculpture, and architecture.

Allowing this opinion to be true, it should prove a great encouragement to those who are endeavouring to rear a taste for Art amongst us. They have not to contend against inclement skies and forbidding influences. The soil is genial, the climate favourable, and Art, therefore, need not be treated with the hot-house nurture of an exotic, but with the ordinary culture of a native plant brought from the wilderness into the garden. What is CAMPBELL's prophetic thought on this subject? Must he not have had some sense of the importance of physical influences?

"Untracked in deserts lies the marble mine,
Undug the ore that 'midst thy roofs shall shine:
Unborn the hands—but born they are to be—
Fair Australasia, that shall give to thee
Proud temple-domes, with galleries winding high,
So vast in space, so just in symmetry,
They widen to the contemplating eye,
With colonnaded aisles in rich array,
And windows that enrich the flood of day,
O'er tesselated pavements, pictures fair,
And niched statues breathing golden air." &c.

The obstacles in the way of the successful cultivation of the Fine Arts here lie mainly in the aims and occupations of the people, and their limited numbers. The establishment of an influential colonial School of Art must depend upon the settlement here of several skilful persons who follow Art as a profession, and until there be a strong desire manifested amongst the community to possess such works as they can execute this cannot take place. We are doubtless approaching a state of things when men of fortune will, with their *families*, prefer a residence here to one in Europe. These will in time form a leisure class, the bulk of whose expenditure will be upon articles of luxury, amongst which are considered works of Fine Art. A taste for such things will be acquired, partly from travel, partly from other sources, and then will Art flourish here, and not before.

But while we have to wait for this golden age there is no valid reason against making a beginning, and we consider that the Academy of Arts has done well in arousing the public mind to the claims of Art, and the necessity of making some provision for Art instruction. Such gatherings as the one that was held on Thursday night was exceedingly helpful. The objects placed before the company were principally of European production, but this might be expected. We stand in need of good models, which, when well studied, will incite the genius of the country to pass from them, and apply the principles acquired upon objects and sentiments purely Australian. Nothing could be more instructive than some of the works brought together—the enlarged autotype photographs of trees, for instance, are full of impulse to the mind of the young artist, and are calculated to lend him valuable aid in the art of massing foliage, disposing naturally of light and shade, and delineating tree anatomy. So with portraiture they conduce in a wonderful manner, when intelligently studied, to the attainment of a free and natural use of the vehicle. The exhibition certainly contained a great number of good works, and fewer bad ones than any other of the same kind we have seen here. On this circumstance the committee of management is to be congratulated.

Mr. MONTEFIORE in his felicitous address said very much to the point about the necessity of sound teaching of the principles of Art. This is one of the great objects before the institution. For this purpose they have invested upwards of £50 of the funds in the purchase of plaster casts to furnish an elementary and advanced drawing school. They now require a competent master, and a place of meeting. But for these needs the funds in hand do not suffice, and the public as yet appear not to perceive the want of increased liberality. The eyes of those interested in the institution are consequently turned upon the great lid of the TREASURER's cash box, and watch the Estimates, and the VICE-PRESIDENT cleverly nails the COLONIAL-TREASURER by quoting the last line of his own "admirable Budget speech."—

"Arts flourish most
Where commerce hath enriched the busy coast."

Well, if such Art work as is here referred to were merely to be a pleasure and a source of refinement to the rich, it would be a very questionable employment indeed of the revenue of the country to expend any part of it in this manner. If the affluent required such a concomitant to their enjoyment, they could supply the want from their own means. But it is not only for this that it is wanted. We have stated again and again that every touch that renders an article of manufacture a thing of beauty as well as a thing of use enhances its value tenfold without any proportionate increase of expense. The skilful introduction of beautiful forms, graceful curves, appropriate combinations, whether of colour or line, adds material value as a moral effect to the article so treated. This result, we maintain, in a community which is giving birth to young industries, that are expected to grow to vast dimensions, is a consideration of much importance to the entire people; and is therefore a question worthy of the attention and encouragement of the Government. All that is calculated to add to the worth of our manufactures and reduce the expense of their production in these days of competition, must be regarded as being of moment.

The cost of an Art instructor would not be great; his fees would go far to maintain him—and as for a drawing school, have we not been told by a travelled member of the Academy, what wonderful results have been produced at Madras with but small expenditure. Art must have a home, but it need not be a palace—oftentimes a ruin is more suggestive.

SUPREME COURT.—Business for Tuesday.—Jury Court: Special jury of twelve—Brayser v. Madden. Banco Court: Murray v. Emmett and another, part heard; Rose v. Rogers, Court v. Pulman and another, Carter v. Hardiman.

DISTRICT COURT.—Business for Tuesday.—Jury Cause: Farr v. Mulqueeny and others. Causes: Lord v. Campbell, Bornstein v. Paul.

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT.—The Court at Darlinghurst will be opened on Monday, and adjourned to Tuesday. The following are the cases for trial:—James Moore, assault and robbery; Alfred James Briscoe, manslaughter; Mary Ann Wilson, manslaughter; Henry Joseph Morton, bigamy; George Smith, alias George Wilson, alias David Ray, breaking into a shop and stealing therein; James M'Fahey and Edward Clifford, alias Tansley, burglary; Daniel M'Kenzie, assault at Strong Island, in the Pacific Ocean; William Smith, (1) assault and robbery, (2) receiving; Charles M'Kewen, (1) forgery, (2) uttering; James Whelan, fraudulently receiving portion of an insolvent's estate, &c.; William Smith, inflicting grievous bodily harm; Charles M'Kewen, stealing; Thomas Moore, wounding with intent to do grievous bodily harm, and Ellen Moore assault; William Smith, breaking and entering a dwelling-house and stealing therein; Ann Carey, manslaughter; John Carter, embezzlement; James Osborne, stealing from the person, and William Martin, receiving; John White, stealing in a dwelling-house; Henry Vincent Jarvis, murder; William Morris, bigamy (two charges); Alexander Kelly, larceny; Ellen Dwyer, unlawfully wounding; James Albert Coleman, Richard Charles Dickson alias Thomas, and Marian White, assault and robbery.

NOTICE TO JURORS.—Supreme Court, King-street.—Jurors summoned to attend on Monday, the 10th instant, will not be required to attend till Tuesday, the 11th instant, at 10 a.m. Criminal Court, Darlinghurst.—Jurors summoned to attend the Criminal Court, to be holden at Darlinghurst on Monday, the 10th instant, will not be required to attend until 10 a.m. on Tuesday, the 11th instant.

SALE OF LIQUORS LICENSING ACT AMENDMENT BILL.—Within the last week or two numerous petitions have been presented to the House against the passing of this bill. They are all identical in purport and very similar in phraseology. The subjoined petition, which was presented from the inhabitants of Newtown, may be taken as a sample of the whole:—"That they view with alarm the proposed alteration in the Licensed Publicans' Act, to extend its operations to the sale of fermented and spirituous liquors at the refreshment rooms of our railways. And believe that the ready access to intoxicating drink by engine-drivers, stokers, pointsmen, and other railway workers, would seriously endanger the safety which has hitherto attended railway travelling in New South Wales, as it is notorious that many accidents in England have been occasioned by the drunkenness of the railway employés. And they also believe that the supply of intoxicating drink at such refreshment rooms would tend to the discomfort and annoyance of respectable persons, especially ladies, travelling, and have generally an injurious and demoralising effect on the community. Your petitioners, therefore, humbly pray that your honourable House will be pleased to reject any bill which purposes to legalise the sale of intoxicating drinks on our railway lines."

NECESSITY FOR A REFORMATORY SCHOOL.—Two cases were brought before the Water Police Court, yesterday, which showed the urgent necessity that exists for the establishment of a reformatory school. One boy aged 13 was charged with stealing lead from off the roof of a store and another aged about 15 with stealing a purse containing £44 from the pocket of a coat which the owner had left in a building which he was erecting in Liverpool-street. The last named boy was apprenticed from the Vernon, some time ago, to a man named Mitchell, residing in Newcastle, but he bolted away and, upon being apprehended, his indentures, according to his own statement, were cancelled. The Bench regretted that there was no reformatory school to send the lads to, and they remanded them both in order to consider what could be done with them.

ACCIDENT.—At about a quarter-past 6 yesterday evening, a horse, attached to a buggy of Mr. J. C. Gillhooley, bolted in York-street, and threw him out, but fortunately did not seriously injure him. The horse galloped at a furious rate along Druitt and Park streets, and in the latter thoroughfare he nearly ran over a man who was wheeling a barrow in the middle of the road, and had it not been for the shouts of some people present at the time, and who warned him of the approaching danger, he would probably have been severely hurt. On the other side of Pitt-street the infuriated animal ran into a cart, and by this means extricated himself from the buggy. He was afterwards caught near the racecourse.

CORONER'S INQUEST—DEATH FROM NATURAL CAUSES.—Yesterday forenoon the City Coroner held, at the Warren View Hotel, Stanmore, an inquest respecting the cause of death of a child named Erbon H. R. Morris. The mother of deceased, residing at Stanmore Road, Marrickville, with her husband, who was a labourer, said that he was 3½ months old, and that he had enjoyed good health from his birth; shortly before noon, yesterday, thinking he was not well, she gave him a dose of castor oil; she laid him down on the sofa and looked at him on several occasions, and he appeared to be asleep; she got her dinner, and returned to look at him, and found that he was dead. Mr. Hogg, who had vaccinated the child on the 25th ultimo, although the lymph did not take, was then examined. Mr. Sedgwick gave it as his opinion that death had resulted from inflammation of the lungs and congestion of the brain. The jury returned a verdict of "Death from natural causes."

THE ABORIGINES OF QUEENSLAND.—Alluding to the commission lately appointed to inquire into the best means of ameliorating the condition of the aborigines, the *Mackay Mercury* remarks:—"We hope soon to see some comprehensive scheme adopted, which will endeavour to cope with the difficulty of dealing with the blacks. A step in this direction has been taken at Mackay, chiefly through the energy of Mr. F. Bridgman, and for some time past several of the plantations have had some of the blackfellows in their employ for the lighter kinds of field work. The results have in most cases been perfectly satisfactory, and it is to be hoped that the same system will be tried elsewhere. Though it is not likely that the blacks will ever be a reliable source of labour to any great extent, if they can only be induced to do some work it will keep them from devoting their energies to spearing cattle and other objectionable practices, of which 'their idle hands' are only too fond, and will at least delay, even if it fail wholly to avert, that doom of extinction which seems to be the fate of all savage tribes when brought into close contact with European civilization."

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ANNIVERSARY OF THE BIRTH OF THE PRINCE OF WALES.—Monday next, being the thirty-second anniversary of the birth of H. R. H. the Prince of Wales, is to be observed as a public holiday, and, as usual, it will be taken advantage of by the people of Sydney for outdoor enjoyment, should the weather prove favourable. On reference to our advertising columns, it will be seen that various sources of pleasure are offered by the caterers for the public. The Balmain regatta will probably be the most attractive; we yesterday pointed out the contests and the number of entries for each. The principal interest will doubtless centre in the race between the gigs which are to contest what was intended to be an intercolonial race; and it is probable that one of the finest contests ever witnessed here will take place. Mr. Fitzhardinge's crew are to pull in a gig built by George Green of Sydney, and Mr. Clark's crew in one built by Mr. Greenland of Melbourne; these boats cost the Rowing Club £45 each. Should the water be smooth, we believe the distance (3½ miles) will be accomplished by the winning boat in less than 23 minutes, or 4 minutes faster than the time of the Melbourne Champion Crew. Excursionists to various parts of the harbour have offered to them a choice of places; Clontarf, Manly Beach, Watson's Bay, and Chowder Bay. To the latter place there is to be a monster picnic, the managing committee of which have prepared a very attractive programme. A large pic-nic in aid of the funds of St. Vincent's Hospital is to come off at Athol Gardens; the German Association again visit Botany Tea Gardens; extra omnibuses have been laid on for Coogee Bay; the Botany-street Wesleyan Church Sunday Schools proceed by rail to Fairfield. The lovers of cricket have been amply provided for, besides a number of matches between minor clubs announced. A treat is promised at the Albert Ground in the opening contest for the Challenge Cup between the Alberts and Warwicks. Apart from the meeting of the "knights of the willow," the accommodation on the ground is so good that it cannot fail to attract a large number of persons who are partial to a quiet picnic at an easy distance from town. The elevens who are to play in the match have not been definitely picked, but the following names have been sent in for selection: Alberts: Airey, Anderson, A. Docker, W. Docker, T. Docker, W. Goddard, Morgan, Oliver, Stack, F. Spofforth, F. Spofforth, N. Thompson, Woods. Warwicks: Bannermann, Hewitt, Sheridan, Pocock, Humphries, Fisher, Oatley, C. Kellick, Newcombe, Clarke, Fairweather, Seale. In the evening, the St. Vincent's Hospital Bazaar will be open; a variety of entertainments are to come off at the Exhibition building, and at the Victoria Theatre Mr. Fairclough will appear, in conjunction with Miss Legrand; and Spencer's interesting exhibition will find many patrons.

SUNDAY TRAFFIC IN INTOXICATING LIQUORS.—Several petitions have recently been presented to the House against the Sunday traffic in intoxicating liquors. They have been commonly to this effect:—That your petitioners believe that the Sunday traffic in intoxicating drink is a fruitful source of crime, misery, drunkenness, and immorality, as proved by the records of our Police Courts, whose Monday business chiefly consists of cases arising from this cause. And that it is therefore necessary to the welfare of the community that publicans should be subject to the laws affecting other trades, and compelled to close their houses on that day. And that the Act abolishing police supervision having proved highly injurious, should be repealed, and the police authorised to enter public-houses at any time. Your petitioners, therefore, humbly pray that your honorable House will take such steps as in your wisdom you may deem fit to amend the Licensing Act, so as to prohibit the selling of intoxicating drinks on Sundays, and also to provide for inspection at all times of public-houses by the police.

COMPENSATION TO VOLUNTEERS FOR INJURIES RECEIVED WHILE ON DUTY.—A correspondent writes,—"In reading over the Estimates in this day's *Herald* I find the sum of £30 to be voted to a gunner in the New South Wales artillery force for injuries received attending at drill. Now, as the Government can vote this sum, I would ask, why should not a member of the Volunteer Artillery force get some compensation for injuries received while attending at drill: for having had the misfortune to get run over by one of the guns, and laid up for four months with a broken arm, I could not get any help from the Government, although I applied through the authorities for some assistance, but the reply I received from the Colonial Secretary was that they could not entertain the proposal."

THE EASTERN EXTENSION AUSTRALASIA AND CHINA TELEGRAPH COMPANY.—Number of paid telegrams transmitted through this Company's cable from Port Darwin for the week ending Saturday, October 25th:—Sent from the Colonies:—South Australia 7, Victoria 32, New South Wales 25, Queensland 2, New Zealand 4; total, 70. Sent to the Colonies: South Australia 4, Victoria 41, New South Wales 32, Queensland 4, New Zealand 5, total 86. Total number of messages, 156.

A CHECK ON VULGARITY IN PARLIAMENT.—A New Zealand journal states that during the last session of the Parliament the galleries of the House of Representatives at Wellington contained more ladies than gentlemen. They took their "work" with them, and, while listening to the debates, "tatted" away vigorously. If it were possible to control the outbursts of vulgarity which too frequently occur in legislative halls we think the Wellington practice would do it.

GROANING AT A JUDGE.—Some time since Mr. District Judge Blakeney, of Queensland, felt called upon to recommend the removal of the criminal jurisdiction of the District Court held at Roma, in consequence of the impossibility of getting juries in that locality to convict on the plainest evidence. His advice was acted on by the Executive, and a proclamation was issued declaring that the sessions would no longer be held at Roma. This was no doubt a severe and crushing blow to the residents, but not more then they deserved if the allegation of the Judge was true. No doubt many of them felt the censure keenly, and it is to be regretted that the innocent suffered with the guilty. Judge Blakeney happened to visit the Roma people on Monday, the 27th ultimo, and on his departure a number of persons gave him three groans. The *Dalby Herald* remarks:—This was a most injudicious "demonstration," and we are only too happy to be in a position to state that the leading citizens of Roma did not take act or part in the very disgraceful proceedings referred to, but that the demonstration was the act of about five-and-twenty—and certainly not one respectable inhabitant amongst them. The respectable inhabitants of Roma, we believe, have too much good sense and self-respect thus to insult the venerable Judge. We have the best authority for stating that the next issue of the *Government Gazette* would have removed the interdict under which Roma at the present time labours. The report of the conduct of "seventy or eighty leading citizens of Roma" has, however, induced the Executive to take a fresh view of the subject, and withdraw the intended proclamation of restoration. It is much to be regretted that the district should be made to suffer for the indiscreet action of a few misguided individuals. It is only due to Judge Blakeney to say, that it was at his instance the criminal jurisdiction was about to be restored to the Roma District Court.

SUPPOSED SUICIDE THROUGH DRINK.—A magisterial inquiry was held on the 28th October (says the *Wagga Express*) at Cuddel Creek, near Tarraboo, before Mr. Joseph Weir, J.P., on the body of a man named John Knox, a fencer employed in the neighbourhood. Mr. Thomas William O'Driscoll, surveyor, found the body at 10 o'clock on the previous day about one mile from Henry's public-house. He placed two of his men in charge of it, and at once gave information to the Narandera police, returning with senior-constable Foley to the spot where the body lay. Upon examination the throat was found to be frightfully cut, and a razor, sworn to as being the property of deceased, was found lying near the body. Deceased was last seen alive at 6 o'clock on the morning of the day his body was discovered. He had been drinking for several days. It was sworn that he left the Cuddel Creek Hotel sober on Sunday for his camp. His mate, John Henry Walter, also swore that he believed him to be sober when he last saw him—on the morning of his death. All the witnesses agreed that they believed the wound was self-inflicted, and that he died by his own hand.

MODEL OF THE LITHGOW VALLEY ZIGZAG.—An ingenious and exceedingly faithful model of this great triumph of engineering skill has just been added to Spencer's Mechanical Exhibition, from the design of the enterprising proprietor of that interesting collection. It is 30 feet in length, and is so placed that it presents to the eye a complete view of all the cuttings and viaducts, of the scenery surrounding them, and of the mountains which overlook them. The model takes in a considerable part of the line on the Mount Victoria side as well as on the Bowenfells approaches. Mount Clarence and the tunnel which runs through its centre are also partially represented. It may be mentioned that the model is coloured so as to show the natural hues of the masonry of the viaducts, of the rugged rocks which flank the cuttings, and of the vegetation which fills the crevices in the rocky defiles and overspreads the heights above. To add to the attractiveness of the scene trains are represented in motion, ascending and descending the Zigzag; but it was noticed that they went up and down at a rate "per plan" which is not usually seen in the real Zigzag, and which if observed thereon would greatly endanger the lives of the passengers. But that is a matter easily rectified. The trains are very good imitations on a small scale of those which are employed in the railway traffic of the Western line. Since the model has been set up in the Exhibition—it was only erected a few days ago—it has been visited by hundreds of people. Those who have seen the Lithgow Valley Zigzag admit the model to be a correct copy of the original; those who have not seen it are enabled to form a very good idea of the vast proportions of the work, and the difficulties overcome in its accomplishment.

AMUSEMENTS.—At the Victoria Theatre, Mr. Fairclough, a tragedian possessed of considerable talent, has appeared as "Hamlet" and "Shylock" during the week; and crowded houses were the rule. His impersonation of the Prince of Denmark has already been adverted to; and his "Shylock" also possesses undoubted merit. For the first two nights of the week the Queen's Theatre was given up to the performance of the sensational drama of "Will and the Way." The favourite drama of "Rip Van Winkle," so well remembered in connection with Jefferson's professional sojourn in Sydney, has been played for the last three evenings; and the admirers of Mr. Gill had an opportunity of seeing him in a character, his impersonation of which has been spoken of highly elsewhere. He was well supported by Mrs. Gill, as Alice, and Miss Maggie Oliver as Dame Winkle. The drama went successfully on each occasion, and attracted very fair houses. Spencer's Polytechnic has been well attended during the week.

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS TO AUSTRALIAN ASSOCIATED PRESS.

FRANCE.

LONDON, NOVEMBER 5.

THE National Assembly was reopened to-day. A message was presented, declaring that increased authority is necessary to the durability of Government, as well as essential to the safety of France; and a motion was submitted accordingly.

A resolution was also put forward by the Conservatives to prolong the tenure of office by Marshal MacMahon. It was proposed that he should hold the position of President of the Republic for a further period of ten years. This motion was supported by the Ministers, who declared the matter to be one of great urgency; but by a large majority the Imperialist and Republican resolutions were both rejected.

MONETARY.

LONDON, NOVEMBER 6.

There is a semi-panic on the Stock Exchange; and American exchange is declining.

AUSTRALIAN ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAMS.

BATHURST.

FRIDAY.

A miner, named Samuel Barrow, was killed at Cow Flat to-day by falling down a shaft 70 feet deep.

A rifle match between members of the Bathurst corps and No. 2 corps of Sydney will take place on Monday.

A tea meeting and soirée on an extensive scale is to be held in the evening, in commemoration of the fifth anniversary of the local company of Volunteers.

A team of cricketers is coming down from Orange to play against a Bathurst eleven, and another eleven of the local club proceed to Rydal to take part in a match on the same day.

WEST MAITLAND.

FRIDAY.

The Victoria bridge over Wallis Creek has given way. A heavy dray broke it down. Two bullocks were killed, and the road is in a very dangerous state.

BRISBANE.

FRIDAY.

The party authorised by the Government to open a road between the Palmer and Endeavour Rivers has been ordered back by Mr. Sellheim by telegram. When they received the message they had arrived at Junction Creek, after having incurred an expenditure of £580. Nothing had been done. The men are suing Mr. Sellheim under the Master and Servant's Act.

The *Courier* and *Queenslander* properties changed hands to-day at a large advance. The purchasers are Messrs. Gresley, Lukin, and E. J. C. Browne.

MELBOURNE.

FRIDAY.

Mr. Coppin has retired from the candidature of the Eastern Province.

Several minor accidents occurred yesterday on the road from the races.

There are very large entries for the Smythesdale sports in January, including competitors from New South Wales and New Zealand. Large prizes are offered.

A fire broke out on the Sydney Road yesterday. It destroyed a store and an adjoining dwelling, which were insured.

The sailing of the Alexandra is postponed till midnight.

The racing to-day was generally good, the weather was fine, and considering that it is an off-day, the attendance was much above the average.

The Governors Sir G. Bowen and Sir Hercules Robinson were again present.

The Baroda (s.) took 93,160 oz. gold, and 96,670 sovereigns.

The wreck of the barque Anna, at King's Island, was sold for £36.

The rifle teams are being suitably entertained.

No business is doing in the markets, a further quantity of 200 tons of flour being shipped to England from Geelong.

QUEENSCLIFF.

FRIDAY.

ARRIVED.—Aliquis, ship, from Adelaide; Earl of Mar and Kelly, barque, from Mauritius; Coorong (s.), from Adelaide; Kate Conley, barque.

SAILED.—At 6, Dandenong (s.), for Sydney: at 7.30, R.M.S.S. Baroda, for Galle.

LAUNCESTON.

[VIA MELBOURNE].

FRIDAY.

The thirty-second annual meeting of the Cornwall Insurance Company has been held, and a dividend has been declared of 10s. per share, with a bonus of 5s.

The late rains have greatly improved the crops, and it is now expected that the harvest will be good.

ADELAIDE.

FRIDAY.

The Road Bill has been rejected.

There has been a sale of wheat at 5s. 10½d.; flour is unchanged.

The new reservoir is being filled.

ARRIVED.—St. Vincent, with thirty assisted immigrants.

WOMEN'S RIGHTS—A PLEA FOR MALE ATTIRE.—A case of a very peculiar nature was heard at the Heathcote Police Court, Victoria, on Friday (says the *M'Ivor Times*), when a woman named Johanna Johnson was brought up on a charge of wearing man's attire. From the evidence adduced it appeared that Miss Johnson had remained as a female in the hired service of Mr. Craven, storekeeper, Heathcote, for about five months, during which time her conduct was all that could be desired, she having proved herself both steady and hardworking. She, however, being aware that the rate of wages to labouring men is higher than that for female servants, and considering herself competent to perform the work of the sterner sex, discarded her female attire, and donned the pants, &c., of the male. Then slightly altering her name from Johanna to Joseph Johnson, hired herself out as a labouring man to Mr. J. Duff, farmer, Mia-Mia, where she worked for five weeks, proving herself both a willing and smart hand. When arrested she was in the act of putting up chock and log fencing. There being no proof that the male attire was assumed for anything but a good motive, Johanna was discharged, female costume having first been procured for her. She pleaded hard to be permitted to wear the male attire, stating that she had been always accustomed to do so when a young girl, and in her own country, Germany, she had fought as a man in the army; that male attire suited her better than female, and that she wished to earn enough money as soon as possible to take her back to her own country. Miss Johnson, who is an exceptionally powerful and muscular woman, and appeared much more at home and better suited in male costume, was informed that the laws of the country would not permit her to wear any other than the attire of her own sex, and in such she was sent from the Court to earn her livelihood.

FIRE AT WAGGA.—The *Advertiser* reports that Mr. Wall's farmhouse and fences at North Wagga were destroyed by fire on Sunday last. The facts are, that a young man who was staying at the house in question lit a fire in the wooden fireplace in order to cook his dinner. By some means or other the spark of the chimney ignited and this fact was not discovered until it was too late for the only occupant of the house to extinguish the fire by his own unaided exertions. He discharged two or three shots with the object of calling attention to the conflagration, and did what he could to beat back the flames from the fences. But the dryness of the material mastered his endeavours, and it was not until the house, a portion of the fence, a quantity of grass, and several valuable fruit trees had been consumed that assistance arrived and the fire was put out. The young man succeeded in saving most of the contents of the house, and was fortunate enough to remove a quantity of gunpowder before what might have proved a very serious explosion could occur. Mr. Wall estimates his loss at £100.

MELBOURNE RACES.

[BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.]

THIRD DAY.—FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7.

THERE was a moderately good attendance on the course to-day; but it was noticeable that very few ladies were present.

Royal Park Stakes.—A sweepstakes of 10 sovereigns each, with 150 added. For 3 years old, 6 st. 10 lbs.; 4 years, 9 st; 5 years, 9 st. 9 lbs.; 6 years and aged, 9 st. 12 lbs. Two miles.

Mr. W. Johnston's b h Don Juan, 4 years ... 1
E. De Mestre's b h Dagworth, 5 years ... 2

There were only two starters. Hamlet broke down yesterday, and was scratched for all the races.

This was a splendid race. The two horses kept well together for half a mile. On passing the stand, Dagworth was two lengths from the front, and he kept ahead until under the hill, when he increased the distance. In the last turn, Don Juan drew up splendidly, and there was a fine race home. The Don picked up Dagworth a quarter of a mile from the post, and won by half a neck.

Time, 3 minutes 44 seconds. Latest betting, 5 to 4 on Dagworth.

Flying Stakes.—A sweepstakes of 5 sovereigns each, with 50 added. For 2 years old, 5 st. 2 lbs.; 3 years, 7 st. 9 lbs.; 4 years, 9 st.; 5 years, 6 years, and aged, 9 st. 6 lbs. Three-quarters of a mile.

Dr. J. Bathe's ch f Atalanta, 3 years ... 1
Sir H. Robinson's b c Kingsborough, 2 years ... 2
Mr. J. S. Smith's b c Speculation, 3 years ... 3

The starters were Newbold, Topper, Speculation, Atalanta, Kingsborough, Polidore, Melbourne, Gaslight. The latest betting was 7 to 1 Atalanta, 3 to 1 against the othe

Atalanta led from start to finish. The others were struggling behind—all under whip along the straight. Atalanta won by a length and a-half, and could have won by much more. Time, 1 minute 19 seconds.

Oaks Stakes.—A sweepstakes of 25 sovereigns each 5 forfeit, with 100 added. For 3 years old. Fillies, 8 st. 10 lbs. One mile and a half. 40 subscribers.

Mr. A. Saqui's b f Rose d'Amour (late My Leah), by Fireworks—Art-Union ... 1
Dr. Bathe's ch f Maid of Avenel, by Stockham—Mary Avenel 2
Mr. H. Phillip's Mirth ... 3

Maid of Avenel, Rose d'Amour, and Mirth were the only starters. The latest betting was even on the first two, and 5 to 1 on Mirth. At the start Mirth led, but soon gave place to Maid of Avenel, who led some distance to the back of the course, waited on by Rose d'Amour. Mirth fell off under the hill on coming round for the last turn. Rose d'Amour drew ahead, and won easily by several length. Time, 2 minutes 50 seconds.

Spring Handicap.—A sweepstakes of 7 sovereigns each, half forfeit, with 150 added. For 3 years old and upwards. One mile and a quarter.

second day's racing.

Mr. John Coldham's b h Sunlight, 4 years ... 1
P. Lewis's br h King Tom, 4 years ... 2
H. Phillip's b m Fairy, 5 years ... 3

Twenty-one started. Rosalie led, but soon gave place to Blue Peter, who led with the Sylvia Colt, Gauntlet, and Prism all behind. Fitz-Yattendon came up when nearing the sheds, but soon fell back. Passing the sheds Sunlight showed in front, and led from there home, winning by a lengths. King Tom was a good second, and Fairy a close third.

Time, 2 minutes 20 seconds. The winner carried 7 st. 3 lbs., King Tom 7 st. 10 lbs., Fairy 6 st. 12 lbs.

Handicap for 4-year-olds.—A sweepstakes of 10 sovereigns each, half-forfeit, with 100 added. For 4 year-olds. Two miles.

Mr. J. Arthur's b c Wollomai ... 1
R. Lane's b h Pertobe ... 2
J. Tait's b h The Arrow ... 3

The starters were the Arrow, King of Clubs, King Tom, Calaba, Pertobe, Imperial, Fearnought, and Wollomai. Imperial led for a mile and a half, with Wollomai, Pertobe, and Arrow. On coming under the hill Arrow fell off, and Wollomai came to the front and raced with Pertobe along the straight leading, and won finally by several lengths.

Time, 3 minutes 42 seconds. Wollomai carried 6 st. 7 lbs., Pertobe 7 st., Arrow 8 st. 9 lbs.

Plate of £100.—For 2 year-olds, 5 st. 9 lbs.; 3 years, 7 st. 12 lbs.; 4 years, 9 st.; 5 years, 6 years, and aged, 9 st. 2 lbs. Entrance 1 sovereign each. Half a mile. Winner to be sold for 100 sovereigns.

Mr. F. Lane's b g Mocking Bird, aged ... 1
A. Williamson's bl h Planter, 4 years ... 2
S. Harding's b g Little Dick, aged ... 3

LUNAR ECLIPSE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

SIR,—I think Mr. De Salis has overlooked the fact that the eclipse was *total*; or in other words, that the moon was wholly immersed in the earth's shadow, and therefore the bright hemisphere turned to the sun and the dark one to the moon, so that no part of the earth could *reflect* sunlight to the moon, any star or other light which it might reflect would be wholly inappreciable.

Sunlight does, however, reach the moon by refraction through the earth's atmosphere, but all, or nearly all, is absorbed, except the red rays; and if an observer could be stationed in the moon during a total eclipse of the moon he would see a BLACK EARTH surrounded by a gorgeous red halo.

Though the sun is in high southern latitude, the moon must be in a nearly corresponding northern one, or no eclipse could take place; hence, being in opposition to the sun, the sun's southern latitude would not cause the earth to reflect any light to it.

H. C. RUSSELL.

Observatory, 7th November.

SUPERANNUATION ACT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

SIR,—My attention has been drawn to this item in the supplementary estimates now before Parliament, viz, refund of superannuation contributions to the principal Under-Secretary and the Chief Clerk Colonial-Secretary's office, and I think the Ministry should explain why such special provision is made. If the gentlemen referred to wish their money refunded, they can get it from the Treasury as other Civil servants have done, and as provided by 9th clause of Superannuation Refund Act, but let me ask, Sir, is this little strategy intended to secure those gentlemen *pensions* as well, which the Act referred to specially prohibits? In any case the Chief Clerk is not 60 years of age, and there are members in the Civil service surely quite as much entitled to be specially considered as he is. Perhaps some member will kindly ask for an explanation.

I am, Sir, &c.,
INQUIRER.

BURNT AT SEA.—The *South Australian Register* of the 30th October gives the following account of a ship burnt at sea:—"There comes a strange tale of the ocean by the ship Aliquis, which arrived from the Baltic on Wednesday night, 29th October. It is known that some ship has been burned at sea, and the crew were rescued, but what was the vessel or what were the incidents of the catastrophe are particulars that have not come, though it is certain that she must have been of considerable size, as her company numbered thirty-six. The details given by Captain Marshall are as full as he could furnish. Towards sundown of 22nd September the Aliquis was bowling along at a rapid rate; the midday observation had given 39·3 S., longitude 10° E., or a position not a great distance from the Cape, say 500 miles. An American ship was sighted having her ensign set with the union down as a signal of distress, and the Aliquis at once hove-to. Upon the craft reaching within hailing distance she proved to be the Maria Tobin, bound to Mauritius, and she reported having rescued a crew of 36 hands from a burning ship a day or two previously. The object of the American was to induce Captain Marshall to accept the charge of the whole or part of the crew, but the weather was so boisterous that it was impossible to communicate further before next morning, and both vessels meanwhile remained hove-to. The Aliquis being bound for Australia, and having merely her own supply of water, declined to accept the responsibility, which would have obliged Captain Marshall to put into the Cape, and as that was not far out of the American's course he was advised to go there. Whether owing to boisterous weather or some other reason the name of the ill-fated ship did not transpire. All her crew were rescued, and it was supposed that the American would call at the Cape to land them.

MR. CAINE, THE LATE CONSUL AT HANKOW.—Some excitement prevailed in Sydney a few months ago when Mr. G. W. Caine, late British Consul at Hankow, was arrested on a charge of embezzling public funds, and was sent back to China, in custody. We learn from the Hankow *Gazette* that his trial for embezzlement took place on the 6th August. "The prisoner having pleaded 'not guilty,' Mr. Robinson, for the defence, endeavoured to impress upon the jury the fact that for any misappropriation of funds to come under the head of larceny there must be proof of intent to defraud, and unwillingness to make restitution on the part of the defaulter; pointing out that the only evidence against the prisoner was in his own voluntary admission as shown in his correspondence with the Home authorities. The Judge then summed up, and dismissed the jury to consider their verdict. At about a quarter to 1 they returned into court, and gave a general verdict on the whole indictment (they had not been required to give their verdict on separate counts)—'We find that the prisoner took the money without any fraudulent intention.' The counsel for the defence thereupon rose and claimed (and as we imagine properly claimed) a verdict of acquittal. The Crown counsel sat silent, and claimed nothing. Whether the clerk of the court entered the verdict at all we cannot say, but nobody directed him to do so, perhaps he did not. But the Judge, whose summing up was all along against the prisoner, desiring of the jury to know 'what they meant,' a scene of discussion followed, unintelligible alike to counsel, jury, reporters, and spectators, until at last the Judge took refuge in flight; the Judge charging them afresh, and a-new describing to them what their verdict should be, and in fact suggesting that the verdict should be on the several counts. At length the jury returned and delivered a verdict of guilty, with a recommendation to mercy, and the Judge thereupon passed upon the prisoner the severe sentence of two years' imprisonment."

THE EARL OF BELMORE.

THE arrival in the colony of Lord Belmore's Portrait, now on view at the rooms of the Agricultural Society, to which he was so large a contributor both in time and in money, affords a fitting opportunity to the writer, who was honoured by his friendship, of penning a few lines in commemoration of one to whom many owe so much, and who was not valued by those only to whom he was not fairly known. The idea of Lord Belmore generally entertained is the unpopular one, that he was too thrifty in money matters; that he was unreasonably saving, and indisposed to give; and those who never look beneath the surface of things, or who judge hastily of character from small traits or failings, are fond of pointing to one or two instances, certainly mistakes on his part, which are thought to justify the opinion. Lord Belmore would have been more judicious had he been less careful about half-crowns; but it is no uncommon characteristic of men, to be even parsimonious in personal expenditure, while most liberal—generous almost to a fault—in matters of greater concern. Lord Belmore, who has been on such points so little understood, was one of the kindest and most liberal of men. Beloved by his tenantry and dependents at home, and welcomed back to his native county with enthusiasm, he was at all times in this colony the supporter of every benevolent institution; giving to all alike the advantage of his presidency, and freely of his money. It is not to vaunt of these things, but that justice may be done to Lord Belmore by the simple enunciation of facts, that the following statement is made, and that this paper has been written. Nothing will here be said of his purely charitable gifts, although the writer has reason to know that they were extensive and numerous. It will be sufficient to mention a few instances of liberality, for which a score of readers can vouch. Lord Belmore gave annually £50 to the parish in which he resided in the interior, and £100 to the funds of the diocese. To the completion of the Cathedral spires he gave—once, if not on a second occasion—£100. For the Deaf and Dumb building he twice gave £50, if not a larger sum. On two occasions, without solicitation, or even a hint that assistance was expected from him, Lord Belmore sent the writer donations towards public objects; £20 in one case, and £50 in the other. He contributed a painted window, costing probably £50 or £60, to the church at Muswellbrook. In one year, he gave £102 to the Agricultural Society; in the next year a like sum; in a third, £50. And it may be added that, on his departure, he paid up every subscription (without exception, as the writer believes) to the end of the period when payable, although extending—certainly in one or two instances—several months beyond the day of his leaving the colony. But against all this, and much more of the same character that might be enumerated, is set the dark fact that Lord Belmore actually allowed himself to receive from the Treasury his last day's pay. It has been said that he sent for it. If the fact were so, one fails to discover its impropriety; but such is not the fact. The vessel was detained a day beyond her appointed time of sailing; and, on the evening of that day, the Colonial Treasurer took or sent on board to Lord Belmore the additional amount of salary which had thereby accrued due to him. Why on earth should he have refused it? Such is the writer's statement of facts, personally known to or ascertained by him, respecting our late Governor. The small failing adverted to may be confessed; but enough has been disclosed to disprove at least the aspersion, that it pervaded or affects his character—at the head of our social fabric, or as a man. But it is too true of the most of us, that we record men's defects in brass, and write their virtues in water. In the country which knows him best, Lord Belmore will need no apologist.

Of the painting recently received, and intended to complete the series of Portraits of our Governors, it will be sufficient to say that it is by Mr. Lucas, the eminent painter of portraits for the Queen; and that competent critics in London have spoken of it, as an excellent work of art. The likeness will, as in every case, be thought differently of by different persons—according to their particular impressions, or degrees of acquaintance with the original. Among the Portraits painted by Mr. Lucas, are one of the Queen in her widow's weeds, one of Prince Albert, presented to Louis Philippe, two of the Duke of Wellington, several of the Duchess of Kent, the Princess Royal, and the late and present Dukes of Cambridge; two or three of Mr. Gladstone, and of Lord Palmerston; one of Lord Chief Justice Tyndal; of Earl de Grey, Earl Cowper, Lord Seaham, Lord and Lady Stanhope, Sir Moreton Peto, the Marchioness of Clanricarde, and very many others.

A. S.

GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

THE following notices appear in the *Government Gazette* published yesterday.

APPOINTMENTS.—Mr. William Frederick Ewington, M.R.C.S.E., L.S.A.L., to be Vaccinator for the town and district of Gulgong. Mr. Henry Clements Beverley to be Gaoler of the gaol at Cooma; and Mrs. Kate Mason to be Matron of the same gaol—both appointments to take effect from the 1st ultimo. Mr. William Barkwell to be an additional member of the Public School Board in connection with the Public school established at Monkerai.

Lease of the Coal Staiths at Newcastle, for one year, from 1st January next.—Messrs. H. Gilmour and William Beecher.

CRICKET.—ALBERTS v. UNIVERSITY.—The match between the First Elevens of these Clubs will be continued this afternoon, and it is to be hoped that the teams will commence sufficiently early to play the match out and not disappoint a large number of lovers of the game who look to the result with a great deal of interest. Should the weather prove fine there is nothing to prevent the game being kept up until half-past 6 o'clock if necessary. The score stands at present:—Alberts, first innings, 110; second innings, 1 out for 6. University, first innings, 81.

POLITICAL RELATIONS OF NONCONFORMISTS.—One of the great prophets of the Erastian School, which is striving to shape the ecclesiastical policy of Liberalism, tells us that the parson is in the parish, like the magistrate, "a national officer with an appointed function," and adds: "If one or two voluntary performers, dissatisfied with the magisterial system, set themselves up in each parish of the country, called themselves magistrates, drew a certain number of people to their own way of thinking, tried differences and gave sentences among their people in the best fashion they could, why, probably the established magistrate would not much like it; the leading people in the parish would not much like it, and the new-comers would have social mortifications and estrangements to endure. Probably the established magistrate would call them interlopers; probably he would count them among his difficulties." The only minister in a parish, according to this great authority, who does not "assert his ordinary self by being there," is the clergyman, while the Dissenter is little better than an anti-Christian nuisance. "It is not the Bishop of Winchester who classes dissent, full of a 'spirit of watchful jealousy,' with spiritual hindrances like beer shops—a corruption of the spirit along with corruptions of the flesh; it is St. Paul. It is not the clergyman who is chargeable with offence in wishing to 'stamp out' this spirit; it is the Christian religion." We have no desire to make anyone answerable for these sentiments except the writer, even though he bears an honoured liberal name, and we suppose may, in some sense be described as a Liberal, is one of her Majesty's inspectors of schools, and is rumoured to have had some influence in the fashioning of the educational scheme. But we do say that this is nothing more than a full and distinct exhibition of an Erastianism which is popular in certain Liberal circles, and that it is the spirit by which the educational policy of the Government is inspired. So far as the rural districts are concerned, their Education Act might truly have been described as Act for the extinction of dissent. Given a school under the control of the clergyman, with compulsory power employed to force the children of Nonconformists into it, with fees paid by the guardians for all children whose parents cannot afford to pay for them themselves, and what is likely to be the result in the course of a generation? A more effectual process for "stamping out" Dissent could not well be devised. It is true there would be a Conscience Clause, but for the observance of it we have no guarantee, for Mr. Forster has distinctly said that the Inspector of the School Board must not be allowed to invade the sacred precincts of these "voluntary" schools to see that its provisions are observed, and even though he were, that would be a very imperfect safeguard against the influences of various kinds the clergyman is able to employ. The truth is, if the clergyman's school be the only school in the district, and the children of Nonconformists are therefore forced into it, no means which can be devised will avail to keep them from being brought under clerical influence. Yet Mr. Forster has so managed that in thousands of parishes this will be the case, and we are invited to accept his scheme as a wonderful achievement of Liberal policy, and to sustain a Ministry which, with professions of zeal for religious liberty and equality on its lips, has taken such effectual measures to uphold clerical ascendency throughout the rural districts.—*Congregationalist.*

MERCANTILE AND MONEY ARTICLE.

FRIDAY EVENING.

THE Customs duties received to-day were as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
Spirits	£1344	9	8
Wine (still)	172	12	0
—— (sparkling)	0	10	2
Ale, porter, and beer (in wood)	25	3	0
—— (in bottle)	66	16	3
Tobacco and snuff	908	6	0
Cigars	28	15	0
Tea	63	9	8
Coffee and chicory	55	2	0
Sugar (unrefined)	400	0	0
Rice	1	19	0
Dried fruits	373	8	1
Nuts	12	11	3
Ad valorem duty	620	11	6
Specific duty	530	18	5
Pilotage	31	10	0
Harbour dues	10	0	0
Total	£4136	9	7

The Benmore has cleared for London with 115 tons copper, 28 tons tin ore, 34 tons tin, 650 casks treacle, 108 casks tallow, 166 bales leather, 14 bales pelts, 3462 cases meat, 52 cases glue, 93 tons copra, 15 tons shank bones, 9200 horns, 56 packages hair, 40 bales cotton, 13 bales skins, 4191 bales wool.

The Northern escort has brought down the following quantities of gold:—Uralla, 92 oz. 15 dwts. 2 grs.; Nundle, 281 oz. 2 dwts. 16 grs.; Armidale, 84 oz. 0 dwt. 21 grs.; Tamworth, 17 oz. 19 grs. 3 dwts.: total, 475 oz. 17 dwts. 18 grs.

The Mint receipts and issues during the past week were:—Gold received for coinage, 13,325 oz. Coin issued, 26,000 sovereigns.

Messrs. Richardson and Wrench sold by auction to-day an allotment of land, with 20 feet frontage to Dowling-street, Woolloomooloo, with a small cottage thereon, for £260—Mr. J. Kelly, purchaser; a cottage in Grose-street, Camperdown, £130—Mr. J. Blair, purchaser; Lancefield Cottage, Cook's River Road, with about 16½ acres of land, £1250—Mr. Thomas Chalder, purchaser; and several allotments in the Town of Muswelbrook at from £16 to £26 per allotment. The residue of the properties at Muswelbrook, in the estate of the late Messrs. Hall, was postponed, and announced to be realised in that town on an early date. The same firm have also made the following sales since last report:—Cottage, 91, Stanley-street, £530—Mr. John Benson, purchaser; the Tomago coal mine, Hunter River, £700—Mr. B. P. Rodd, purchaser; two cottages, Nos. 12 and 14, Jenkins-street, £600—Mr. W. Lambert, purchaser; house, No. 112, Campbell-street, Surry Hills, and premises in Lists-lane, at the rear, £695—Mr. James Rooney, purchaser; and the following allotments:—Milson's subdivision, St. Leonards, North Shore, 25 feet, Arthur-street, 25s. per foot—Mr. R. Farquharson, purchaser; 25 feet, Arthur-street, 30s. per foot—Mr. George Wilson, purchaser.

It will be seen on reference to our advertising columns that Messrs. Richardson and Wrench are instructed to sell a number of valuable stations in New South Wales and Queensland.

At the sales of tin ore, over 550 bags were cleared at prices equal to those of last week. Messrs. Harrison, Jones, and Devlin sold ore assaying from 72·3 to 74·2 at £65 15s. to £67 10s.; 65 per cent. at £51 5s. Messrs. Richardson and Wrench disposed of 70·5 to 74 per cent. ore at from £63 5s. to £67 15s.; 66 per cent. at £51.

The Stock and Share market has been firm for several days past, with a moderate number of sales of dividend-paying investments, and prices close about the same as reported in Monday's summary. Sales to-day were not numerous; Bank of New South Wales sold at 47½ to 47⅞; United Insurance firmer, sales at 15s.; and Interminable debentures were done at 106½.

The following table exhibits the state of the Share market at close:—

COMPANIES.	Capital (nominal.)	Capital paid up.	Share paid up.	Closing Prices.
BANKS.	£	£		
Australasia	1,200,000	1,200,000	£40	44
Commercial	400,000	400,000	25	78¾, 80
City	240,000	240,000	5	10⅛
Joint Stock	454,656	454,656	5	12⅛
New South Wales	1,000,000	1,000,000	20	47⅝, 47⅞
New Zealand	500,000	500,000	10	17, 18
Union	1,250,000	1,250,000	25	47½, 48⅛
DEBENTURES.	Issue.	Due.	Interest.	
N. S. W., terminables	3,763,500	1871 to 97	5	108, 108½
Ditto, interminables	340,534	inter.	5	106½, 106½
Ditto, inscribed stock	...		4	95
Queensland Government	3,022,000	1881 to 91	6	112½, 113
Ditto	500,000		4	92, 93
Ditto Treasury bills	300,000	71 to 74	6	100⅛
New Zealand ditto	229,000	1873 & 4	6	102
A. S. N. Co.	100,000	1874 & 6	6	103, 103½
City of Sydney	162,100	1871 to 7	6	108½, 110
Pyrmont Bridge	29,300	1874	6	102
Clarence Steam	10,000	1874	6	101
Colonial Sugar Co.	60,000	1873 to 77	6	
INSURANCE.				
General Marine	600,000	15,000	1½	27s, 30s
New South Wales Marine	150,000	15,000	2	30s
Pacific Fire and Marine	1,000,000	31,742	5	17/6
Sydney Fire	250,000	50,000	3	59s
Sydney Marine	100,000	10,000	10/	9s
United	500,000	25,000	1	15/
STEAM.				
Australasian	326,000	326,000	30	20, 19½
Clarence and Richmond	50,000	37,500	10	39s 6d
Ditto, Preferential	8,330	8,330	10	10, 11
Hunter River	55,000	55,000	10	14, 13
Illawarra	57,000	57,000	5	4⅜, 5
Clarence and N. E.	13,271	13,271		5
MISCELLANEOUS.				
Gaslight	166,000	166,000	6	16⅝, 17
Ditto, New	...		£2	11⅝, 12
Pyrmont Bridge	50,000	34,695	5	2
Sydney Exchange	30,000	26,475	10	
Omnibus Co.	36,000	27,000	£1	
MINING.				
Bulli Coal	28,000	28,000	10	
Ditto, pref. (12½ per cent.)	3,430	3,420	10	
N. S. W. Shale and Oil	...	...	£1	18, 18 9
Wallsend Coal	100,000	100,000	10	14
Waratah Coal	60,000	59,995	6	12⅜, 12⅝
Boolboonda Copper	60,000	60,000	£1	1/
Cobar	20,000	20,000	£1	20s, 27 6
Cowflat	65,000	65,000	£1	16s, 17/6
Drummond	100,000	11,450	5/	2s 6d
Mount Perry	45,000	45,000	£1	15s 9d
Mount Cooper	60,000	60,000	£1	
Mulligan	30,000	...	11/	
Moolboolaman	60,000	30,000		2s
Normanby	60,000	30,000	£1	2s 6d
Peak Downs	100,000	100,000	1	18/9, 19/6
Phenix	50,000	50,000	...	10s
Western Peak Downs	75,000	...		1s 6d
Weiss	60,000	...	6/	
Peelwood	60,000	12,500	15/	9 6, 12/6
Southern Cobar	50,000	...	6/	7s, 8s
Armstrong's Gold	56,000	49,800	£1	4s
All Nations	25,000	...	£1	
Brown's	35,000	35,000	£1	
Beyers and Holtermann's	72,000	72,000	£1	5s 9d, 7s
Bismark	20,000	20,000	12s	
Carroll, Beard, and Co.	90,000	90,000	£1	5s, 7s
Dayspring	60,000	60,000	£1	2/6, 3 6
Great Extended	9,000	...	50s	
Frenchman's	10,000	10,000	£1	
Golden Fleece	30,000	...	7s	
Grenfell Consols	40,000	40,000	£1	4s 6d, 4/9
Hixson, Creighton, & Beard	80,000	80,000	£1	3/9, 4 6
Johnson's	12,000	12,000	21s	2s 6d
Krohmann's	80,000	80,000	£1	12/9, 14s
Mitchell's Creek	30,000	30,000	£3	
Mathewsons	30,000	30,000	£1	7s 6d
Monte Christo	32,000	32,000	£1	4s
Paxton's	160,000	160,000	£1	2s 6d
Star of Peace	84,000	84,000	£1	10s
Rampant Lion	27,000	27,000	£1	5s
Rapp's	125,000	125,000	£1	1s 6d, 2/3
Williams	75,000	75,000	£1	6s 6d
Cock, Attwood, and Dwyer	80,000	80,000	£1	15s, 10s
Fischer-Beard	60,000	60,000	£1	13s
Eisenstaedters	40,000	40,000	£1	8s, 9s
Jeffree and Gellard	65,000	...	£1	4s
Band & Albion Consols (Ball.)	...	...	...	10s
Hustler's Gt. Extended Tribute No. 1 (Sandhurst)	...	...	...	40s, 44s
Ancient Briton Tin	30,000	...	5/	
Blue Mountain	30,000	...	5/	
Champion	30,000	...	2/	
Elsmore	60,000	...	10/	
Mount Mitchell	15,000	...	2/6	
Newstead	60,000	...	10/	
Pioneer	30,000	...	5/	
Ruby	15,000	...	5/	
Ruby Creek	30,000	...	4/	
Sydney	60,000	...	2/	
Wheal Johnson	30,000	...	5/	
Maryland Ruby	40,000	...	2/	
Queensland	40,000	...	4/	
Wheal Edith	15,000	...	10/	

An average quantity of hides and tallow was offered at the produce sales held to-day. Annexed are particulars of the business done:—

By Messrs. Mort and Co.—Hides: 117 at 6½d., 62 at 5¾d., 41 at 5½d., 43 at 5¾d., 263 at 5¼d., 52 at 5d., 31 at 4¾d., 86 at 4½d., 16 at 4¼d., calfskins at 4s. 2d. to 4s. 3d., yearlings at 8s. 3d., 312 horse hides at 3s. 6d. to 7s. 8d., kangaroo skins at 5s. to 27s. per dozen, goat at 12s. per dozen. Hair at 12½d. to 22d. Horns at 18s. Shankbones at 5s. to 9s. 6d. Tallow: BB, 6 casks at £28; 1M, No. 2, 9 at £30; BB, 11 at £31 15s.; F, 28 at £31 15s.; H, 28 at £31 15s.; W over ~, 13 at £41 15s., 1 at £35, 1 at £33, 1 at £32 15s., 2 at £32, 5 at £31 15s., 3 at £29 15s., 1 at £29 10s., 4 at £29, 7 at £28, 5 at £26. 1 lot right whalebone at £250 per ton, 8 ditto hump bone at £50 per ton.

By Mr. Turner.—Hides: 15 at 6½d., 67 at 6¼d., 7 at 6¼d., 14 at 6¾d., 2 at 6¼d., 45 at 6d., 66 at 5¼d., 61 at 5¾d., 16 at 5¾d., 56 at 5¼d., 58 at 5½d., 37 at 5¼d., 144 at 5d., 58 at 4¾d., 4 at 4¼d., 2 at 3d, yearlings at 4s., calfskins at 2s. 9d. to 3s. 11d., wallaby ditto at 4s. 9d., horsehides at 2s. to 6s. 9d. Hair at 5d. to 24d. Beeswax at 13½d. Tallow: Diamond, 6 casks at £31; D, 5 at £30; LX, 9 at £30 5s.; PB, 6 at £23, 2 at £30 5s., 4 at £30, 6 at £28.

By Mr. Bridge.—25 hides at 6½d., 19 ditto at 5¾d., 35 ditto at 5¼d., 56 ditto at 5¾d., 117 ditto at 5¼d., 33 ditto at 5d., 23 ditto at 4¾d., 41 ditto at 4¼d., 11 ditto at 4¼d., 36 ditto at 4¾d., 15 ditto damaged at 4d. Horsehides at 5s. 6d. to 6s. 6d. Calfskins at 3s. 11d. to 4s. 10d. Horns at 23s. 6d. to 27s. 9d. Bones at 10s. 9d. to 12s. 3d. Horsetail hair at 20½d. to 22½d., mane ditto at 15s. to 17½d., cowtail ditto at 9¾d., to 14d.; HW&R, 7 cask tallow at 31s.; C, 2 ditto ditto at 31s.

By Messrs. Harrison, Jones, and Devlin.—Hides: 10 at 6½d., 11 at 6¾d., 24 at 6¼d., 3 at 6¼d., 7 at 6d., 21 at 5¾d., 3 at 5¼d., 28 at 5¾d., 6 at 5¼d., 117 at 5¼d., 47 at 5d., 118 at 4¾d., 7 at 2¼d. Calfskins at 3s. 1d. to 3s. 11d. Yearlings at 8s. 6d. Horsehides at 5s. to 6s. 10d. Kangaroo skins at 2s. Hair at 13½d. to 23½d. Horns at 25s. 6d. to 27s. 6d. Shankbones at 10s. to 14s. 3d. Tallow: JBs, 14 casks at £22 10s.; M, 12 at £32 5s.; S in triangle, 8 at £32 5s.; H, 20 at £32 5s., 1 at £33; 5 at £32 5s., 3 at £32, 4 at £31 15s., 5 at £30, 4 at £29 5s., 3 at £29, 4 at £28 10s., 3 at £28; 1 at £27 5s.

There has not been any perceptible improvement in the Import markets since our Mail Summary was published. The only alterations in quotations have been in coffee and preserved salmon. The former has advanced to the highest figure known for years. Sales of salmon at 14s. 6d. to 14s. 9d. Messrs. Carey, Cohen, and Gilles offered at auction this morning the cargo of Mauritius sugars, ex Peony, and disposed of a considerable portion. Yellow crystals brought £36 to £37 5s., whites £37 7s. 6d. to £38 12s. 6d., white counters £38 5s. to £38 10s. A quantity of ration sugars were passed at owner's reserves.

Messrs. Bradley, Newton, and Lamb sold by auction to-day the shipment of kauri timber, ex Phœbe, at prices ranging up to 23s.

The *Argus* of Tuesday reports of the Melbourne markets:—

In the import markets to-day, little of interest has transpired, and the amount of business disposed of has been very limited. In breadstuffs no improvement has taken place; the demand for flour continues light, the larger buyers apparently having withdrawn from the market. Baker's lots bring £14 5s. Of wheat there is very little offering, and in the absence of transactions our quotations of 6s to 6s 2d is to a considerable extent nominal. In oats there has been very little doing; trade parcels are quitted at 4s 6d to 4s 9d, according to sample. Maize is a trifle easier; we quote 3s 10½d. Gunnies have been inquired for, and we learn that 100 bales have been placed at a slight concession on 7s 3d. Sales of currants are reported at 4½d for medium, and 4¾d for fine fruit. Eleme raisins are wanted, and would bring 8d, duty paid. In teas, privately, no sales came before us; under the hammer, some 1176 packages fancy teas were cleared off. Canton scented orange pekoe realised from 1s 3½d to 1s 4½d, and Canton gunpowder 1s 1d to 1s 1½d per lb. In sugars, business has gone through the auction mart, where the cargo of the St. Marc and balance of the Fodden and Oriental, consisting of some 5950 bags, was offered, 5750 bags finding purchasers at 31s for low yellows, 32s to 33s for medium counters, 34s to 34s 6d for good, and 36s 3d to 37s for fine grey counters, and 37s 6d for good whites, prices which show a reduction on previous sales. A sale of wool was held at Messrs. R. Goldsbrough and Co.'s warehouses to-day, being a clearing sale of small odd lots which had been held over. Nearly all the parcels were disposed of; and they also report having effected sales by private contract of several large clips which were bought in at their auction sale of Wednesday last, making altogether 1889 bales sold. Prices continue about the same, greasy ranging from 9½d to 1s 1¾d, which latter figure was realised for 58 bales from the Glenelg, and fleece from 1s 6d to 1s 11¾d, the last mentioned quotation being for 200 bales from Emu plains. Their usual weekly auction sale has been postponed from Wednesday next to Wednesday, the 12th instant, in consequence of the departure of the mail, and the races, interfering with business.

MINING.

FRIDAY EVENING.

INCREASED inquiry for Wallsend Coal shares has sent their prices upwards. Sales at 14, and few obtainable. In Copper there was an easier feeling. Mount Perry sold at 15s. 9d. Peak Downs at 18s. 9d. Williams at 6s. 6d. was the only transaction reported in gold.

The course of sales for the past week has been:—Coal: Wallsend, 13⅞, 13¾, 14; Shale and Oil, 19s., 18s. 9d. Copper: Boolboonda, 1s.; Mount Perry, 16s. 3d., 16s., 15s. 9d.; Peak Downs, 19s. 3d., 19s., 19s. 3d., 18s. 9d.; Normanby, 2s. 1s. 3d., 1s. 6d. Gold: Beyers and Holtermanns, 6s. 6d.; Daysprings, 3s.; Hixson, Creighton, and Beards, 4s.; Krohmanns, 14s.; Paxtons, 2s. 6d.; Rapps, 2s. 3d.; Williams, 6s. 6d.; New North Clunes, 69, 70, 71, 72.

Mount Perry Copper Co.—The secretary reports having received advices from the manager of his having dispatched 53 tons 6 cwt. of fine copper from the mine, now in transit.

The Rose of Australia (Lower Turon) G. M. Co.—A special meeting of shareholders was held on Thursday, at the offices of the company, for the purpose of confirming or rejecting a resolution passed at a former meeting to wind-up and dissolve the company. This was now rejected by a large majority, and it was decided to call a further meeting to make new arrangements for carrying on the works, in the meantime the manager to obtain positive information as to the number of shareholders who are willing to continue their contributions, the remainder to be allowed to retire.

Crown of Old Reef G. M. Co., Adelong.—Under date 1st instant, the mining manager reports as follows,—"Since last report on 18th October have finished crushing 123½ tons of stone, which yielded 197 oz. of retorted gold. The main shaft has been sunk an additional 4½ feet, the reef on which averages 7 inches of very good stone, with blotches of gold visible all through it. In No. 1 stope the reef is about 12 inches thick, and of very fair quality stone. In Nos. 2 and 3 the reef has been stripped, and will be taken down shortly—20 tons have been brought to the surface. The contractor for the new shaft is making rapid progress."

Beyers and Holtermann's G. M. Co.—The mining manager reports as follows, under date the 6th November: 'We still continue driving between the No. 1 and No. 2 levels upon the vein, and we are sinking north shaft, making fair progress. Present depth, 308 feet; work done during week, 4 feet. I have no change to report in quality of stone, but the rock we are sinking has hardened considerably. Stone raised this week—No. 3, 5 tons; total quantity No. 3, 12 tons."

Carrangara Mining Co.—During last month (October) the yield of refined copper from this mine was 17 tons 4 cwt., and over 2000 tons of firewood have been added to the stock. The ore is still being produced in quantities more than sufficient to keep the furnaces constantly at work.

The Ruby Tin Co.—The manager reports that the yield of tin last week was 5 tons, and that 219 bags, weighing 12 tons, were dispatched to Sydney, leaving about 1½ ton on hand.

Krohmann's G. M. Co.—The mining manager reports under date 5th November as follows:—"In the north shaft we have sunk 2 feet this week, making depth from the surface 275 feet. The ground is very hard here still, but I expect a change soon. On No. 1 vein, we have raised about 1 ton of stone, showing a little gold; on No. 2 vein, we have raised about 2 cwt. of stone, about the same quality as last week's. In the prospecting shaft we have driven about 2 feet 6 inches, making the total length of drive 24 feet, and 300 feet from surface. The quantities of stuff at grass are—6 tons, seconds, 1 cwt. 50 lbs. good stuff, and 25 lbs. specimens."

CURIOSITIES FROM BATAVIA.—A near approach to Noah's Ark (observes the *Argus*) is just furnished by the Victoria (s.), which arrived on Monday from Batavia. During her stay there, quite a collection of live zoological specimens was collected, including a number of monkeys, two of which possess the rare distinction of being quite white. There are also tiger cats and kittens, and cocoanut squirrels, the latter sweet little things, which Artemus Ward would have taken to his bosom as the "amoosingest of little cusses." Musk rats also abound, and in addition to these small deer there are three very pretty Timor ponies, one of them quite a miniature in size, but fond of kicking up his his heels in a spirit of the most benign playfulness. Two serpents, one of them caught in salt water, are also amongst the curiosities, but to avert alarm, it may be mentioned that they have been preserved in spirits. The feathered tribe are prominently on board also, and conspicuous among them are two handsome specimens of Beo, or rook minah, which can acquire the art of speaking or whistling in a few short and easy lessons. The voice of this bird is said to be the nearest approach to the human voice of all the birds of the air, and they have been known to fetch very high prices in England. There are also on board numerous cockatoos and Java parrots, and other birds noted for plumage or their singing or speaking proclivities. Several Wardian cases of plants have also been brought round in the steamer, two of the plants being specimens of the Phyllum pulcherrimum, and alleged to possess the property of growing live parasites or sensitive feelers from its leaves. To look along the decks of the steamer it would seem as if she had been freighted in the interest of the Acclimatisation Society.

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BONDED STOCKS.

Sydney.—Week ending November 7, 1873.

Description.		Stock on hand October 31, 1873.	Received into Stock.	Delivered for Home Consumption.	Delivered for Exportation.	Stock on hand November 7, 1873.
Rum—W. I.	galls	57,026	...	3,47[illegible]	90	53 862
Queensland		20,611	...	1,10[illegible]	...	19,507
Foreign		2,011	...	...	...	2,0[illegible]
All other Spirits		11,109	78	80[illegible]	10	10,374
Brandy		287,599	4,137	6,22[illegible]	1,206	281,197
Geneva		114,097	11 668	2,90[illegible]	1,311	121,550
Whisky		39 396	2,682	96[illegible]	56	40 996
Liqueurs		3,763	32	11[illegible]	20	3,641
Gin		11,881	171	120	96	11,836
Wine		202,160	1,217	1,9[illegible]	452	200,981
Manufactured Tobacco.	Half-Tierces	87	...	9	2	86
	lbs	31,941	...	3,516	794	27,031
	Qr.-Tierces	192	...	15	6	171
	lbs	49,400	...	3,2[illegible]	1,494	44,707
	½-bxs. and bxs	1,067	...	1	15	1,0[illegible]
	lbs	97,936	...	127	1,715	96,086
	Cases	231	7	6	20	212
	lbs	72,625	735	1,071	3,601	68,675
	Repns.—pkgs	127	...	1	12	114
	lbs	4,948	...	174	633	4,141
Leaf Tobacco.	Hhds and cks	3	58	2	...	49
	lbs	2,919	41,027	15 762	...	28,184
	Cases	4	3	1	...	6
	lbs	156	115	46	...	225
	Bales	31	...	...	...	31
	lbs	8,469	...	...	...	8,469
Cigars.	Cases	260	...	6	1	259
	lbs	29,925	...	610	69	29,246
	Repks.—pkgs	38	...	...	11	27
	lbs	958	...	...	90	868
Snuff	pkgs	8	...	...	...	8
	lbs	1,390	...	...	...	1,390
Tea	lbs	1,721 978	485,8[illegible]	73,877	13,294	2,11[illegible],612
Chicory		73,019	11,200	4,032	...	80,187
Opium		2,100	...	266	169	1,755
Kerosene Oil	galls	17,739	6,605	1 600	632	21,513

Sugar.—Stock on hand 31st October, 1873, 1745 tons 18 cwt. 1 qr.; received into stock, nil; delivered for home consumption, 349 tons 1 cwt. 1 qr.; delivered for exportation, 27 tons 9 cwt. 2 qrs.; stock on hand 7th November, 1873, 1411 tons 16 cwt. 2 qs.

Coffee.—Stock on hand 31st October, 1873, 6 tons 3 cwt. 1 qr.; received into stock, nil; delivered for home consumption, 1 ton 5 cwt.; delivered for exportation, nil; stock on hand 7th November 1873, 4 tons 18 cwt.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

HORSE BAZAAR.—JOHN STEWART, VETERINARY SURGEON, is prepared to undertake the SALE of Horses and other Live Stock, Carriages, Saddlery, &c., by auction or otherwise, on his premises, 260, Pitt-street, opposite Tattersall's; also at Camperdown, or elsewhere, as required.

More than ordinary care will be taken to exhibit every lot in its true colours, and no attempt to mislead either buyer or seller will be countenanced in any way. Sales will always commence punctually at the time notified.

The auctioneer will confine himself strictly to agency business, never, either directly or indirectly, buying to sell again.

A NEW SOCIETY. CITY AND SUBURBAN BUILDING AND INVESTMENT SOCIETY, No. 2.
TO CLOSE ABSOLUTELY IN TEN YEARS, OR POSSIBLY SOONER.
Estimated value of Share, £100.
Entrance Fee, 5s per share.
Subscription, 10s per share per calendar month.
Redemption, 17s ditto ditto ditto.

To gentlemen in offices, and the industrious classes, this Institution offers a ready means of investing money, ultimately to return a good profit, and it gives an excellent opportunity to parents desirous of making a provision for children.

The funds being advanced on approved securities amongst the shareholders, and a monthly sum repaying the Society, in a few years the property advanced upon reverts to the borrower.

A GENERAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS was held on the 8th October, when the SOCIETY WAS FORMED, the rules passed, and the FIRST SUBSCRIPTION MEETING fixed for MONDAY, 10th NOVEMBER, but being now declared a PUBLIC HOLIDAY, payment will be received on TUESDAY, 11th instant.

☞ FOR SHARES, Prospectus, Rules (6d), and all information apply to the undersigned, at the office, 267, George-street, opposite Hunter-street.

JOHN PURKIS, Secretary.

A NEW SOCIETY. CITY AND SUBURBAN BUILDING AND INVESTMENT SOCIETY No. 2.
TO CLOSE ABSOLUTELY IN TEN YEARS, OR POSSIBLY SOONER.
NOW IS THE TIME TO TAKE UP SHARES whilst the Entrance Fee is only 5s per share, and no back subscriptions are required.

On TUESDAY, 11th instant, the first month's subscription will be payable—10s per share.

For shares apply to the undersigned, at the Office, 267, George-street, opposite Hunter-street.

JOHN PURKIS, Secretary.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.—Mr. FLETCHER, Dentist, has removed from No. 9 to No. 2, Wynyard-square, next the corner of Wynyard-street.

NOTICE.
JOHN CHARLES LLOYD
and
EBENEZER VICKERY, Esq.

With reference to the notice in the HERALD of THURSDAY, the 6th instant, cautioning the public against purchasing the Burburgate, Edgeroi, Galathera, and Gundemaine properties, with the stock and improvements thereon, advertised for sale by public auction by Messrs. Richardson and Wrench, in Sydney, on the 9th December next: We hereby give notice, that the said John Charles Lloyd has not the slightest justification or excuse for inserting the said advertisement; that the said John Charles Lloyd has not the slightest interest or claim, either at law or in equity, to the said properties or any of them.

That in the month of December, 1869, the said John Charles Lloyd being then indebted to the said Ebenezer Vickery, as mortgagee of the said properties, in the sum of £132,972 15s 5d, and being very troublesome to the said Ebenezer Vickery, the latter required payment of the amount due, having some time previously informed the said J. C. Lloyd that he wished to be relieved of his account, and was willing to accept £5000 less than the amount due to him, if he could get any one to take up the account.

That on the 2nd December, 1869, the undersigned were requested by Mr. Richard Lloyd, the brother of the said J. C. Lloyd, to ask Mr. Vickery to give the said J. C. Lloyd £250 for his Equity of Redemption, which Mr. Vickery consented to do (the property being subject to a further claim of £5757 upon a mortgage held by one A. F. Sparkes, making a total mortgage debt of £138,729 15s. 5d.)

That after repeated interviews and negotiations, extending from 2nd December, 1869, to the 25th January, 1870, all matters between the said John Charles Lloyd and Ebenezer Vickery were finally arranged on the 25th January, 1870, on which date the said E. Vickery released the said J. C. Lloyd from the debt of £132,972 15s. 5d. and interest, and paid the said J. C. Lloyd £250 cash.

That on the same day the said J. C. Lloyd, in the presence of Mr. James Johnson, his solicitor, executed under his hand and seal a conveyance of all his interest in the said properties, and also an absolute release to Mr. Vickery of all actions and causes of action, claims and demands whatsoever, both at law or in equity, up to the time of such execution.

That the deed so executed and attested is now in our possession, and may be inspected by any person desirous of seeing the same. That from the 25th January, 1870, to the present time, the said E. Vickery has been in the absolute and peaceable possession of the said property, and has paid off the sum of £5757 which was charged thereon.

That the statement made by Mr. Lloyd that there were certain agreements made by Mr. Vickery with him collateral with the said last mentioned conveyance, which agreements were never carried out by Mr. Vickery, is altogether unwarranted and contrary to the fact.

ALLEN, BOWDEN, and ALLEN, Solicitors, 124, Elizabeth-street South.

6th November, 1873.

GLEN INNES TIN MINING CO. (Limited).—Final DIVIDEND of Twopence per share will be paid on the Contributing Shares, at this Office, on and after FRIDAY, the 7th instant. The Scrip to be given up.

By order of the Board.
GEO. RATTRAY, Manager.
No. 1, Lloyd's-chambers, 6th November, 1873.

THE ESTABLISHMENT of the undersigned will be CLOSED on MONDAY next, 10th instant.
F. LASSETTER and CO., Wholesale, Retail, and Export Ironmongers.

THE AUSTRALIAN JOINT STOCK BANK.
MONDAY, the 10th instant, will be observed as a Holiday, to celebrate the Birthday of his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales.
VINCENT W. GIBLIN, General Manager.

THE CITY BANK, Sydney.—MONDAY, November 10th, having been proclaimed a public HOLIDAY by the Government, in honour of the Prince of Wales' Birthday, this Bank will be CLOSED on that day.
WILLIAM NEILL, Manager.

WOOL.—The undersigned are prepared to make liberal advances on Wool and other produce consigned to their agents in London and America. Arrangements have been made to ensure the utmost care and supervision in effecting sales.
MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.

CAUTION.—All persons are cautioned against emptying clean[illegible] or other filthy matter, into the stream running through the Barcom Glen Estate, either by the Corporation carts or otherwise, from Liverpool-street, Darlinghurst, or [illegible] of Liverpool-street, as legal proceedings will be taken against them. GRED WEST.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
Between SIEGFRIED FRANCK, Plaintiff, and MORITZ BAAR and FRANCIS LOVETT COTTON, Defendants.

WHEREAS an action has been commenced in this Court at the suit of the above-named plaintiff against the abovenamed defendants, to recover the sum of fifty-seven pounds eleven shillings and sevenpence, being the balance due to the said plaintiff for money paid by him for the use of the defendants, at their request, on or about the thirteenth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two; and for commission and reward due to the plaintiff for the work and labour of the plaintiff as the agent of the defendants, and for interest upon money due from the defendants to the plaintiff, and forborne at interest by plaintiff to the defendants at their request; and for money due to plaintiff by defendants on accounts stated between them. And it being alleged that the said defendants do not, nor does either of them, reside within this colony or its dependencies, a writ of Foreign Attachment has been issued, returnable on the twenty-first day of November next, wherein JOHN MEYERFIELD, of Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Merchant, is garnishee. Notice is hereby given thereof, and if at any time before final judgment in this action the said defendants (or any person on their behalf) will give the security and notice, and file the appearance and plea required by the Act, intituled "An Act to Consolidate and Amend the Laws relating to Actions against Persons absent from the Colony, and against Persons sued as Joint Contractors," the said attachment may be dissolved.

Dated this thirty-first day of October, A.D. 1873.
STEPHEN CAMPBELL BROWN, Plaintiff's Attorney, 19, Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Goods of EDWARD BENNETT, Junior, late of Liverpool-street, Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Pawnbroker, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that after the expiration of fourteen days from the publication hereof, application will be made to this honourable Court in its Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction that Letters of Administration of all and singular the goods, chattels, credits, and effects of the abovenamed deceased, may be granted to EDWARD BENNETT, Senior, the father of the said deceased.

Dated this seventh day of November, A.D., 1873.
JOHN DAWSON, Proctor for the said Administrator, 136, Pitt-street, Sydney.

THE FAMILY OF BLUNDSTONE.—Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery (in England) made in a Cause Morris v. Bagley 1870, M No. 245, all persons claiming in respect of the gift or direction contained in the Will of WILLIAM BLUNDSTONE, late of St. Peters, in the town of Derby, England, (the Testator to the said cause, who died on the 16th day of February, 1861) of his property and effects equally amongst such of his children who should be living, and in England, at the death of his wife Jane Blundstone (on the 5th August, 1870), are by their solicitors, on or before the 14th day of February, 1874, to come in at the Chambers of the Vice Chancellor, Sir John Wickens, No 13, Old Square, Lincoln's Inn, Middlesex, England, and prove their claims to share in the said gift, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree. The persons named in the schedule to this advertisement, and who, if living, are some of the CHILDREN of the said WILLIAM BLUNDSTONE, and if in England would be entitled to share in the said gift, but are alleged to have left England many years ago, and to have died or be at the places set opposite to their respective names. SATURDAY, the 28th day of February, 1874, at 12 o'clock at noon, at the said Chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 5th day of August, 1873.

H. F. CHURCH, Chief Clerk.
FREDERICK THOMAS DUBOIS, 15, King-street, Cheapside, London, Agent for William Turner Shaw, of Derby, Plaintiff's Solicitor.

The Schedule before referred to—

Name of Children.	When left England.	Where supposed to be, living or dead, and at what place those who are alive are supposed to be residing.
Francis Blundstone	1855	Living in Australia.
Frances afterwards the wife of Bernard Walter Cockram, and subsequently his widow, and lately the wife, but now the widow of Robert Worley	June, 1870	Living in Australia.
Emma Blundstone	1859	Died in Australia in November, 1861.
John Blundstone	1855	Living at Hobart Town
William Blundstone	1855	Living at Adelaide.

NOTICE.—As Mr. EBENEZER VICKERY has now advertised the "Burburgate," "Edgeroi," "Galathera," and "Gundemaine" properties with the stock and improvements thereon, for sale by public auction by Messrs. Richardson and Wrench in Sydney, on the 9th December next, I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE to all concerned that I claim the right to resume and redeem them from the mortgage under which they are held by Mr. Vickery from me (the time under the agreement by deed between Mr. Vickery, Mr. Dunlop, and me having now expired). And I also GIVE NOTICE, that I totally repudiate and deny the validity of a certain conveyance, dated on or about the twenty-fifth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy, purporting to be a conveyance of my equity of redemption in and to the said mortgaged properties to Mr. Vickery (there having been certain agreements made by Mr. Vickery with me collateral with the said last-mentioned conveyance, which agreements were never carried out by Mr. Vickery). And I also GIVE NOTICE that I intend forthwith filing a bill in the Equity Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court, praying for an account and for leave to me, on behalf of all my creditors as well as myself, to redeem the said properties, and that my solicitors in the matter are Messieurs WANT and JOHNSON, Pitt-street, Sydney. Dated at Co[illegible]ah, near Narrabri, in the colony of New South Wales, this third day of November, A.D. 1873.

JOHN CHAS. LLOYD.
Witness—C. E. SMITH, P.M.

IN THE ESTATE of ALICE DUBBER, late of East Maitland, in the colony of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.

ALL CREDITORS or other persons having claims on the Estate of the above-named deceased are required to send particulars thereof to CALEB SOUL, of Pitt-street, Sydney, Broker, the Executor named in and appointed by the Will of the said deceased, on or before the eighth day of December now next ensuing.

After the said eighth day of December, the said Caleb Soul will proceed in pursuance of the Trust Property Act, 1862, to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said Caleb Soul shall have notice.

Dated this 7th day of November, 1873.
JOHN SHEPHERD, Proctor for the said Caleb Soul, Bank-chambers, King and George streets, Sydney.

LARNACH AND JOHNSON, 225, George-street, Sydney, WOOL BROKERS, Live Stock and Station Agents, Sheep and Cattle Salesmen.

Liberal Advances made on Wool, Tallow, Hides, Sheepskins, Leather, Tin and other Mineral Ores, and other Colonial Produce consigned to them for sale in Sydney, or for shipment to their Agents, Messrs. Johnson and Archer, London.

COPPER ORES AND REGULUS.
The SMELTING WORKS of the ENGLISH AND AUSTRALIAN COPPER COMPANY (Limited), adjoining the New Lambton Colliery, being now in full operation, the Company is prepared to purchase ORES and REGULUS in ANY QUANTITIES at HIGHER NET PRICES than can be obtained EITHER by SHIPMENT TO ENGLAND, or (except under the most favourable circumstances) by LOCAL SMELTING.

ORES AND REGULUS will be RECEIVED, WEIGHED, and SAMPLED at the above Works, or at the Company's Store, 57, LOWER GEORGE-STREET, SYDNEY, or elsewhere, to suit the convenience of sellers.

Assays agreed, and PAYMENTS MADE within seven days of date of sampling.

Advances may be obtained on produce in transitu.

Communications to be addressed, and consignments made to GEORGE R. DIBBS, and CO., PITT-STREET, SYDNEY; or to the undersigned.

S. S. VALE, SUPERINTENDENT, NEW LAMBTON WORKS, WARATAH, near NEWCASTLE, N. S. W.

T. SWINDELLS (late Managing Clerk for Mr. T. Bawden), Auctioneer, Land, House, Stock, Commission, Mining, and Forwarding Agent. Office—Victoria-street, Grafton (between Joint Stock and Bank of New South Wales). Orders entrusted to him will be punctually attended to.

GENTLEMEN,—It having come to my knowledge that many spurious imitations of my wire nails have reached the colonies, I have, as an additional guarantee of genuineness, added (besides the initials A. F. burnt in on each keg), a CROWN, so that the whole forms my Trade Mark; and I beg to repeat that these goods can only be obtained through my London Agents, Messrs. DAVID OPPENHEIMER and CO., 70, Watling-street, London.

I remain, Gentlemen,
Yours faithfully,
(Signed) A. FIX.
Brussels, 1st July, 1873.

WOOL.—The undersigned are prepared to make liberal advances on this staple, consigned to their London firm, High, Harbottle, and Co.
HARBOTTLE, BIDDULPH, and ALSOP.

INDENTS.—The undersigned are prepared to execute Indents on the most favourable terms, for all kinds of merchandise of British, Continental, or American manufacture.
BARONE, FREE and CO., 3, Wynyard-street.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE OF STAFFORD and TARRANT, Denison House and Brunswick House, Bathurst.

We have, THIS DAY, SOLD to Messrs. RILEY, BROTHERS, 167 and 169, Oxford-street, Sydney, the whole of the Stock, Book Debts, Fixtures, and other Assets in the above estate.

CHRISTR. NEWTON, FREDK. PARSONS, } Trustees.
Sydney, October 29, 1873.

In reference to the above, we beg respectfully to notify to the public of Bathurst, and the district surrounding, that it is our intention to offer the whole STOCK, amounting to upwards of £6000, for SALE, in the course of a few days, at such prices as must ensure a speedy clearance.

N.B.—Persons owing accounts are requested to pay the same as soon as possible.

RILEY, BROTHERS.

ENGLISH AGENCY.—The undersigned, established in London upwards of twenty years, confine themselves exclusively to a General Commission Business, are well acquainted with Australian requirements, and possess special facilities for purchasing goods to the best advantage in the English markets.

Indents should be accompanied by cash remittances, or bank letters of credit, to insure full trade discounts. Account sales of produce under consignment rendered promptly, and net proceeds invested to order, every attention being devoted to the eligible shipment and insurance of all goods passing through their hands.

B. S. LLOYD and CO., 3, George Yard, Lombard-street, London.
References—Messrs. G. A. Lloyd and Co.

INDENTS for all classes of ENGLISH, AMERICAN, and CHINESE GOODS executed on favourable terms by
LORIMER, MARWOOD, and ROME.

GOLDSBROUGH'S WOOL WAREHOUSES.
Melbourne, July 1st, 1873.

DEAR SIR,—We beg to inform you that our business as Sheep and Cattle Salesmen will, from this date, be carried on under the style or firm of J. C. WALKER and CO., in Melbourne and Sandhurst, and will be under the exclusive superintendence of Mr. J. C. Walker.

Soliciting a continuance of your patronage,
We are, dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
R. GOLDSBROUGH and CO.

Address—
J. C. Walker and Co., Sandhurst.
J. C. Walker and Co., No. 105, Bourke-street West, Melbourne.

WOOL.
The undersigned undertakes the SALE of Wool in this market by private contract, and is prepared, if a satisfactory price cannot be obtained, to ship under liberal advances to his London Agent, Mr. Rudolph Kummerer, under whose personal supervision all consignments will be realised.
HENRY AUSTIN, 35, Hunter-street.

J. C. WALKER AND CO. SHEEP AND CATTLE SALESMEN, Sandhurst and Melbourne.

Stock consigned to us, for sale at Deniliquin or Wagga Wagga, will be under the superintendence of our Mr. WARDEN HARRY GRAVES, who will attend to their disposal.

J. C. WALKER and CO.
Melbourne, September 1, 1873.

[MEMO.]
Our Mr. WARDEN HARRY GRAVES, General Auctioneer, is prepared to conduct Sales of Stock in any part of Riverina.
J. C. WALKER and CO., 105, Bourke-street West, Melbourne.
Melbourne, 1st September, 1873.

IRWIN AND CO. WOOL BROKERS AND PRODUCE AUCTIONEERS.
WEEKLY SALES of WOOL, SHEEPSKINS, HIDES, LEATHER, &c.
LIBERAL ADVANCES on Consignments for SALE or Shipment.
Wool and Produce Stores, Circular Quay.

H. HAIGH and SON. Woolscourers and Fellmongers, General Wool Merchants and Brokers, Trafalgar Works, near St. Peters.
Offices .... 69, Pitt-street, Sydney.
Wool bought and sold on commission, shipments effected, and liberal advances made.

MORT AND CO. CIRCULAR QUAY, SYDNEY, WOOL BROKERS, LIVE STOCK AND STATION AGENTS, SHEEP AND CATTLE SALESMEN.
LIBERAL ADVANCES on WOOL, SHEEPSKINS, TALLOW, HIDES, LEATHER, TIN, and other MINERAL ORES, and any other Colonial Produce consigned to them for Sale in Sydney, or for Shipment to their agents, Messrs. W. MORT and CO., London.

JOHN A. TURNER, Wool Broker, Live Stock and Station Agent, Sheep and Cattle Salesman.

Liberal advances on Wool, Stations, Live Stock, Tallow, Hides, Leather, and all other Colonial Produce consigned to him for sale, or shipment to his London agents.
Offices, 171, Pitt-street. Wool Stores, Circular Quay, Sydney.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN STOCK AND STATION AGENTS, and CATTLE SALESMEN, WOOL STORES—Circular Quay.
SALE YARDS—Homebush and Sydney.
OFFICES—Ball's-chambers, Pitt-street Sydney.

THE UNDERSIGNED are purchasers of TIN and COPPER ORE; or will make liberal advances on parcels consigned to them either for sale here or for shipment.
MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO., 4, O'Connell-street.

CHAMPAGNE VINEYARD PROPRIETORS COMPANY'S COGNAC.
The Undersigned are AGENTS for the Company at Sydney, and have a stock in bulk and cases constantly on hand.
HARBOTTLE, BIDDULPH, and ALSOP, 121, Pitt-street North.
Sydney, October 1, 1872.

TIN. TIN.
HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN receive TIN ORE for SALE or shipment, and will make liberal advances when required.

THE UNDERSIGNED have made arrangements for the SALE of TIN ORE in London, and are prepared to make liberal advances on consignments to their London house.
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.

INDENTS.—The undersigned are prepared to execute Indents on the most favourable terms.
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.

HILL END AND TAMBAROORA.
MR. W. O. COLLINGS, Mining Agent, Manager, and Broker.
Reports and surveys carefully made, and inquiries answered.

F. L. BARKER, Stock, Station, and General Commission Agent. Wool received and shipped on liberal terms.
Stores—Circular Quay. Offices 7, Gresham-street.

E. J. SPARKE wishes to notify that he has commenced Business as Stock and Station and General Commission Agent at Walgett, and begs the support of his friends and the public.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—TO ADVERTISERS and others.—No person is authorised to canvass for, or receive advertisements for display on New South Wales Railway without our written authority.
GORDON and GOTCH, Lessees for Advertising on New South Wales Railways.
November 4th, 1873.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.
Notice is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned, as BOYD, VINDIN, and CO., at 82, Clarence-street, Sydney; High-street, West Maitland; and Pioneer Store, Greta, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, in consequence of Mr. Alfred Vindin having undertaken the management of the Greta Shale and Coal Mine.

(Signed) J. F. BOYD. A. VINDIN. T. J. BOYD.

Referring to the above notice, we beg to say that the business of General Merchants will be carried on by us, under the same style and title as hitherto, and that all Debts due by and owing to the late firm will be paid and received by us.

(Signed) J. F. BOYD. THOS. J. BOYD.
Maitland, 1st November, 1873.

CAUTION TO THE WATCH TRADE.—All Watches (genuine) of the BAUME and MURET manufacture should bear the initials C. B. on the movement. This caution is given because the manufacturers have been informed that watches are in the Australian market engraved Baume and Muret, that are not of their manufacture.
NOTE THE MARK—C. B.

ADVANCES made on Wool and other produce consigned to us for Sale, here or in London. Wool [illegible] shipment or in transit, is protected by insurance against fire. GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO., Sydney.

HAWKES AND COMPANY (successors to Burton Thomson), Auctioneers and Commission Agents, Livery and Bait Stables.

HORSES AND CARRIAGES OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS ON HIRE AT CURRENT RATES.
THE STABLES, BLIGH-STREET; and YARDS, 246, PITT-STREET.

NEW ENGLAND TIN MINING COMPANY (Limited).
Shareholders are informed that the balance of assets is ready for distribution on their surrendering scrip to the undersigned at the office, 247, George-street, Sydney.
By order of the Board,
R. HALL, Manager.

PUBLIC NOTICE!!!
Messrs. FARMER and COMPANY desire to intimate that there is no alteration in their MAIN SHOP in PITT-STREET, excepting the temporary entrance, which is rendered perfectly secure by the covered-in way from the pavement.

VICTORIA HOUSE, October 14th, 1873.

MR. PEDLEY, Dentist, late of 12, George-street, Hanover-square, London, desires to announce his arrival in Sydney, where he is prepared to practise the system of Modern Surgical and Mechanical DENTISTRY, which secured for him the most distinguished patronage in England. Temporary address, Asher's Cottage, Manly Beach.

INDUSTRIAL BENEFIT BUILDING SOCIETY.
NOTICE.—MONDAY next being a HOLIDAY, the subscriptions due on that day will be received on TUESDAY, at the usual time.
By order of the Board.
WILLIAM JARRETT, Secretary.

BISHOP and MOUNTFORD desire to inform their friends and the public in general that they commence business TO-DAY (Saturday), as FAMILY and DISPENSING CHEMISTS and DRUGGISTS, at 472, George-street, opposite the Fruit Markets.

NOTICE.—Monday, 10th instant, having been proclaimed a General Holiday, the undersigned beg to notify that their premises will be closed on that day.
PEATE and HARCOURT, 258, 260, and 262, George-st.

A PUBLIC MEETING of the Residents of North Willoughby will be held on MONDAY AFTERNOON, the 10th instant, at the Bush Mission Chapel, Lane Cove Road, for the purpose of inaugurating a School of Arts.
W. TUNKS, Esq., M.L.A., will preside.

No. 7583. Town Clerk's Office, Sydney, 7th November, 1873.
CITY PLUMBERS' LICENSES CANCELLED.—Notice is hereby given that the Licenses of THOMAS ADRAIN, 603, George-street, and J. T. BURROWS, Bank-street, Chippendale, are Cancelled for the remainder of the year 1873, for breaches of "City Plumbers' Regulations."
CHAS. H. WOOLCOTT, Town Clerk.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF QUEENSLAND.
IN INSOLVENCY.
In the Insolvent Estate of RAPHAEL TOLANO, of Brisbane, Hawker.
NOTICE is hereby given, that application will be made on MONDAY, the twenty first day of November instant, to his Honor the Judge in Insolvency, that a certificate of discharge under the provisions of the Insolvency Act of 1864 may be granted to the abovenamed insolvent.
Dated this fourth day of November, 1873.
WALTER HORATIO WILSON, Solicitor for the Insolvent, Queen-street Brisbane.

N. W. RAVEN, Auctioneer and Agent. Offices, 691, George-street South, Sydney.
REGULAR BI-WEEKLY SALES AT RAILWAY for Hay, Corn, Shingles, Potatoes, Billet-wood, &c.
The management of properties undertaken.
Out sales conducted on reasonable terms.

WOOL.
A. HINCHCLIFFE CONTINUES TO NEGOTIATE THE SALE AND PURCHASE OF WOOL, &c., ON COMMISSION.
Liberal advances made thereon.
To such of his constituents as may desire to avail themselves of the London market he is enabled to offer the advantage of entrusting their consignments to the careful protection of the well-known firm of Edwin Holt, Esq., Leeds.
GREASY WOOL SCOURED UPON THE MOST IMPROVED PRINCIPLES.
Wools repacked and classed.
Address Circular Quay, or Waterloo Mills, Sydney.

BALMAIN CO-OPERATIVE STEAM FERRY CO. (Limited).
FINAL NOTICE.
All Shares on which the Third Call remains unpaid after MONDAY, 1st December, 1873, will be declared FORFEITED, as provided by Deed of Settlement.
By order of the Board.
ALFRED HUNT, Secretary.

CONSULAT DE FRANCE.
Les Français domiciliés dans les Colonies de la Nouvelle Galle du Sud, de Queen's Land, et de Nouvelle Zélande, qui ont atteint ou doivent atteindre l'âge de 20 ans avant l'expiration de la présente année, ainsi que ceux qui ayant atteint l'âge de 30 ans, n'ont pas concouru au tirage des classes antérieures de la conscription, sont invités à se faire inscrire dans le plus bref délai, au Consulat de France à Sydney, aux Vice Consulats de France à Newcastle, Brisbane, Wellington, et Auckland.
Ceux qui négligeraient de se satisfaire à ces prescriptions encourraient les peines portées par la loi.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY.—MONDAY, the 10th instant, being a General Holiday, the Offices of the Society will be CLOSED.
By order of the Board.
ALEXANDER J. RALSTON, Secretary.
Principal Office—New Pitt-street, Sydney.

COMMERCIAL BANKING COMPANY OF SYDNEY.
MONDAY, the 10th instant, being a public holiday, this Bank will be CLOSED.
T. A. DIBBS, Manager.
7th November, 1873.

NOTICE.—All persons found TRESPASSING on the Hornsey Wood Estate, Penrith, will be prosecuted as the law directs.
MARY TINDALE.

NOTICE to the Members of H. L. SUMMERFIELD'S CLOTHES CLUB.—Monday being a public holiday the Drawing for the Eight Suits of Clothes will take place on TUESDAY NIGHT, at 8 o'clock.

NOTICE.—The public are reminded that ALL my business is carried on at the corner of Kent and Liverpool streets. I have no connection in any way with my late shop in Bathurst-street, No. 107. J. MURPHY.

STARR BOWKETT BUILDING SOCIETY, No. 1.—BALLOT for an advance of £300 will take place on FRIDAY EVENING, 14th instant, at 7.30 p.m. Sale of the right to an advance of £300, on MONDAY, 24th instant, at 9 p.m. Subscriptions will be received on TUESDAY EVENING next, instead of Monday, in consequence of the holiday. General MEETING of the Members will be held at the Rooms on MONDAY EVENING, 24th instant, for the purpose of Electing two Directors. Candidates must be nominated in writing to the Secretary, at least fourteen days before the date of election. Ballot for election will commence at 7 and close at 9 p.m.
WILLIAM J. CLARKE, Secretary.

NOTICE! NOTICE! NOTICE!
MONDAY, the 10th instant, being proclaimed a Public Holiday in commemoration of the Prince of Wales' Birthday, the Establishment of the undersigned will be CLOSED on that day. J. G. HANKS, London Tea Warehouse, 520, George-street.

IN the ESTATE of the late Mrs. CATHERINE MARY INSLEY, Crown-street, Woolloomooloo.
All CLAIMS in the above estate must be sent in to the undersigned on or before 1st day of December next, or they will not be recognised.
JAMES ALLERTON, Executor.
Pyrmont Bridge Road, Glebe.

NOTICE to the Public.—The Royal South Head Hotel is now CLOSED. Brown and Andrews.

CHARLES AARON, CARRIAGE PROPRIETOR, begs to inform the ladies and gentlemen of Sydney that he has always on hire open and closed carriages, with or without livery, quite superior to any that can be obtained elsewhere in Sydney, and respectfully solicits their patronage, and a trial to prove the fact. Address Druitt-street, first gateway, adjoining the New Town Hall.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—MONDAY, the 10th instant, having been proclaimed a Public Holiday, the Offices of the undermentioned FIRE INSURANCE COMPANIES will be CLOSED on that day:—
Sydney Insurance Company
Liverpool, London, and Globe Insurance Company
Pacific Insurance Company
Imperial Insurance Company
Victoria Insurance Company
United Insurance Company
London and Lancashire Insurance Company
Royal Insurance Company
Australian Alliance Insurance Company
London Alliance Insurance Company
Norwich Union Insurance Society.
CHARLES BOWN, Secretary F. B. B. M.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—W. CRAIG, Cutler and Surgical Instrument Maker, REMOVED from 43, Argyle-street, to 187, Lower George-street.

J. S. McELVENEY, House, Land, and Estate Agent, 2, Wentworth-place, Elizabeth-street. Money to lend on Mortgage, or Bills of Sale. Tradesmen's, or other approved Bills discounted. Property bought and sold.

J. F. CRIPPS, Pastry Cook and Confectioner, 255, Pitt-street, near Victoria Theatre.—Wedding dinners, breakfasts, balls and dejeuners, and parties supplied in first-class style. Ices, jellies, or blancmanges. On all public occasions, weddings and private parties, the greatest satisfaction has been expressed at the manner in which J. F. C. has served the entertainments. All kinds of pastry and confectionery manufactured on the premises. J. F. C. has received from England and Paris bon-bons of new style for Christmas.

ST. JOSEPH'S BUILDING SOCIETY, No. 91, Elizabeth-street.—MONDAY next being a holiday (Prince of Wales' Birthday), the Offices of the Society will be CLOSED.
E. J. RUBIE, Manager.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

J. BROADWOOD and SON'S PIANOFORTES.—A shipment just arrived. Allan and Co., Macquarie-place.

FOR SALE, very fine toned semi-grand Pianoforte, by Broadwood. Hamilton, 74, Wm.-st., Woolloomooloo.

PIANO for SALE—a powerful-toned Cottage—in walnut, 7 octaves. I can recommend this as a really first-class instrument.
W. KING, Pianoforte-maker, 79, Hunter-street.
Pianos tuned and repaired.

MOSS'S PIANOFORTE, HARMONIUM, AND ORGAN SHOW ROOMS.
The most EXTENSIVE STOCK in the colony now on VIEW, from the principal LONDON and CONTINENTAL Factories, and also the most REASONABLE in PRICE, from TWENTY-ONE GUINEAS for a new PIANOFORTE with Trichord, Treble, and check action, WARRANTED. MILITARY and other Musical Instruments. MUSIC in every variety.
TUNING and REPAIRING by practical workmen.
L. MOSS, Show Rooms, 5, Hunter-street.

THE MOST EXTENSIVE AND SELECTED STOCK OF MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS IN THIS COLONY, suitable for Military, Orchestra, Volunteer, Drum and Fife, Amateur Bands, &c., at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. A liberal discount allowed to the trade. L. GOLDRING, 291, George-street, Sydney.

HARMONIUM.—Wanted Second-hand for country church. State price to Box 229.

PIANOFORTES.
ONE HUNDRED and TWELVE FIRST-CLASS INSTRUMENTS JUST ARRIVED
ex
CHALLENGE
IRONSIDES, and
BUCKLAY CASTLE.

The present splendid stock is now offering at a very considerable reduction
in
Order to make room
for
the above immense consignments,
and
COMPRISES INSTRUMENTS
by all the
BEST LONDON and CONTINENTAL MAKERS.
PIANOFORTES and HARMONIUMS
on
HIRE or FOR SALE
on
EASY TERMS.
W. H. PALING, Agent for Erard, Pleyel, Aucher, Kirkman, and Alexandre, 335, GEORGE-STREET.

GENUINE Anglo-German CONCERTINAS, just landed. ELLIS, 220, Pitt-street, next Spencer's.

GRAND PIANO for SALE, second-hand; a bargain. Apply at WHITING'S Store, Double Bay.

FOR SALE, a Cottage PIANO, in good condition, £10. 8, Pleasant-terrace, Elizabeth-street South.

BUSINESSES FOR SALE.

ON SALE, a Family BUSINESS, doing a good cash trade, situated in the centre of the city. This is a good opportunity either for a family or two young men who could attend to it themselves, as it is capable of being largely extended. Cash required for plant, fittings, stock, &c., about £200. None but principals need apply. Address Business, HERALD Office. Open 14 days.

TO TANNERS and CAPITALISTS.—For SALE, a TANYARD, in full working order, with steam power and all the latest improvements, situated in one of the best districts in New South Wales; the whole of the produce of the yard finding a ready local market at good prices. Hides and bark of the best description can be procured at low rates. Satisfactory reasons will be given for wishing to dispose of this really valuable property.
For particulars apply to
HILDER and ABIGAIL, 577, George-street.

TO SMALL CAPITALISTS. FIRST-CLASS INVESTMENT.
For DISPOSAL, a WHOLESALE BOOT and SHOE, CLOSED UPPER, and LEATHER and GRINDERY BUSINESS, in one of the principal towns in NEW ZEALAND, doing about £6000 per annum. The present proprietor, having realised a competency in a few years, purposes returning to England. The locality is in one of the most flourishing Provinces, and the rapid growth of the neighbouring goldfields, which are only yet in their infancy, renders the investment an exceedingly good one. The climate is one of the finest in the world. Terms very moderate.
Full particulars can be obtained by applying to
WRIGHT, DAVENPORT, and CO., George-street, Sydney.

FOR SALE, MILK BUSINESS, first-class connection, one of the best in Sydney. Apply to BUTLER and INGLIS, 793, George-street.

FOR SALE.—HOTEL and RESTAURANT, centre of city, cheap. L. D. HERALD Office.

FOR SALE, the LEASE and GOODWILL of a Hay, Corn, Coal, and Wood Business. Apply G. WELLS, Market Wharf.

FIRST-CLASS Tobacconist BUSINESS for SALE, the best position in the city, proprietor leaving through ill-health; principles only treated with. R. S., HERALD Office.

TO BUTCHERS.—For SALE, the GOODWILL of a butcher's shop, doing a good cash trade, with every convenience; possession can be given at once, or on or about 2nd January, 1874. S. LEVIN, Auctioneer, 161, King-st.

FOR SALE, by Tender, the STOCK and BOOK DEBTS in the assigned estate of Mr. Harrison Ward, corner of Pitt and Liverpool streets. Tenders to be sent in by noon on TUESDAY, the 11th instant. Particulars at N. J. CROCKER'S, Wholesale Grocer, George-street South.

DRAPERY BUSINESS for SALE.—The Proprietor of the oldest Drapery Business in Nelson, New Zealand, being desirous of relinquishing business, is willing to dispose of the same on terms very advantageous to purchaser. The business premises are in the main street, and are the best in Nelson, and will be let at moderate rent. The stock is low; no premium is asked for good will of business. If agreeable to intending purchaser, the proprietor would retain a half-interest in the concern for his son. For full particulars apply to
WM. BUYERS, U. S. Consulate, Grafton Wharf, Sydney.

AUCTION SALES.

Horses, heavy and light.
Vehicles, Harness, and Saddlery.

GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
As above.
Regular sales at the Bazaar daily, and at Camperdown any afternoon.
☞ Horses and Vehicles on hire.

Four Wheeled Hooded Dogcart.

GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
A four-wheeled hooded dogcart, in excellent condition.

40 Head Broken and Unbroken Horses.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Messrs. Henderson, Brothers, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, on TUESDAY, November 11th, at 2 o'clock,
40 head really prime horses, most of which are HEAVY, and some very HEAVY DRAUGHT.
Ten of the lot are broken to harness.
Eight colts and fillies, got by Clinker and Young Champion, a very powerful lot.
☞ These horses will be found all that Messrs. Henderson, Brothers, represent.

SUPERIOR SADDLE-HORSE.

JOHN STEWART is instructed by C. F. Richardson, Esq., of Glenrock, to sell by auction, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, at the Bazaar, 260, Pitt-street, opposite Tattersall's,
That gentleman's well-known saddle-horse SAMPSON, a first-rate hack, up to any weight, a capital jumper, sound and quick.

Carriage and Saddle Horse.

J. STEWART will sell by auction, at his Bazaar, 260, Pitt-street, opposite Tattersall's, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
A dark bay carriage horse, good in saddle and harness, lately the property of Mr. Henry Bell.

STEWART'S BAZAAR, 260, Pitt-street.—FOR SALE by auction, at 11, THIS DAY.
SAMPSON, a powerful grey saddle horse
Handsome dark bay carriage and saddle horse
TOMMY, a stout, useful chestnut horse
Handsome chesnut carriage horse
Several useful saddle and draught horses
A dogcart by Thrupp, a springcart and harness
A pony phaeton.

14 Country Horses.

G. WELLS will sell by auction, at Wooller's Yard, WEDNESDAY next, November 12,
Horses.

JOHN WRIGHT has made arrangements to sell by auction, at Wooller's Yards, EVERY DAY, at 11 sharp,
Horses, buggies, &c., &c.

IMPORTANT SALE of HORSES and CATTLE, at CAMPBELLTOWN.

ELLIS and CO. have received instructions from the executors of the will of the late Mrs. Esther Hughes to sell by public auction, at Doyle's Yards, Campbelltown, on WEDNESDAY, 12th November next, at 11 o'clock,
The whole of the cattle and horses on the Vermont Estate, 150 head cattle, comprising milch cows, heifers 2 and 3 years old, and yearlings
6 very fine working bullocks
2 superior bulls
50 head horses, comprising heavy draught mares, colts, &c., of the well-known Champion breed
3 drays and harness
3 ploughs and harness, and sundries.
Terms, cash.
The above sale is well worthy the attention of intending purchasers, as both cattle and horses are of a very superior quality.
Also will be sold the lease of that part of the VERMONT ESTATE known as M'ARTHUR'S FLAT, near Camden, containing about 1000 acres, for the term of 6 months, to run from the date of sale. This property adjoins the lands occupied by Messrs. Bell, Guthrie, and Meale.

6000 HEAD OF CATTLE, more or less.

FOR SALE, AT MUSWELLBROOK.
On WEDNESDAY, the 17th; THURSDAY, 18th; and FRIDAY, the 19th December.

G. M. PITT has received instructions from George S. Hall, Esq., jun., executor of the estates of the late Messrs. George and William Hall, with the concurrence of all persons interested, to sell by auction, at Muswellbrook, on the above-named dates,
6000 head of mixed cattle, more or less, comprising the whole of the Darthrook, Gundibri, and St. Heliers herds.
The above cattle are exceedingly well-bred, and comprise a considerable number of very choice cows and heifers, nearly pure-bred, and a large proportion of fat and store bullocks.
The character of the above herds is so well known that any comment as to its excellence would be superfluous. Suffice it to say the Darthrook cattle have always been looked upon as the very best in the Hunter River district.
Intending purchasers are particularly invited to go and inspect before the day of sale, as it is an opportunity that seldom offers for securing such well-bred cattle; and they will be sold without the slightest reserve.
Full particulars as to ages, sexes, &c., will be published before the day of sale.

Store Cattle. Store Cattle. Store Cattle.

At the Sale Yards, Muswellbrook, WEDNESDAY, 12th November, 1873, At 12 o'clock.

G. M. PITT has received instructions from George S. Hall, Esq., jun., executor of the estates of the late Messrs. George and William Hall, with the concurrence of all persons interested, to sell by auction, at Muswellbrook, on WEDNESDAY, the 12th November, as above,
1650 first-class store cattle, in lots.
N.B.—The attention of store buyers is requested to the above sale, as they are a well-bred quiet lot, and will be classified to suit purchasers.

Choice Breeders. Choice Breeders.

G. M. PITT has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Homebush Yards, on MONDAY, the 17th instant, at 11 o'clock,
35 pure-bred Durham cows, from the celebrated Gragery herd of Messrs. Woods and Wilds.

G. M. PITT has received instructions from Messrs. J. Christian and Co. to sell by auction, on TUESDAY next, 11th instant, at the Homebush Yards, at 11 o'clock,
130 prime fat cattle, in lots, from their noted Walhollow station.

G. M. PITT has received instructions from C. York, Esq., to sell by auction, on TUESDAY next, the 11th instant, at the Homebush Yards, at 11 o'clock,
200 prime fat bullocks, in lots, from Brown's famed Canonbar stations.

AUSTRALIAN AGRICULTURAL COMPANY.

DURHAM BULLS FOR SALE.

G. M. PITT has the honour to inform the public that the Annual Sale of the above Company's bulls will take place at Warrah, near Murrurundi, N.S.W., on TUESDAY, 6th January, 1874, on which day 200 young bulls, from 12 to 18 months old, all bred by the Company, and out of their choicest cows, will be offered for sale.
G. M. P. is authorised to state that these young bulls comprise all that the Company have reared since the sale which was held in January last, and are not only the largest, but, as regards breeding, colour, and quality, by far the best lot the Company have ever offered to the public. None of them have ever been housed or artificially fed, and they are only in rough bush condition.
The bulls may be seen at Warrah after 1st December, and all further particulars learned on application to Mr. Samuel A. Clark, Warrah, via Murrurundi.
Intending purchasers can proceed from Sydney to Newcastle, and from thence to Murrurundi per train; and conveyance can be had from the latter place to Warrah, which is only distant 16 miles.
Luncheon will be provided on day of sale.
For the information of persons in this and other colonies, it may not be out of place to make a few brief remarks here in respect to the Company's pure-bred shorthorn herd. It was commenced in 1825, in the end of which year 3 very highly bred and high-priced shorthorn heifers and a bull were sent to the colony from England. More cows, heifers, and bulls were again sent in 1827, and since then the Company have been continually importing shorthorn sires of the very best and most fashionable strains—having imported in all 25 English bulls.
The imported bulls which have been serving in the Company's pure-bred herd since 1869 are 3 in number, named respectively—Lord Beaumont (26609), a prize-taker in England, and a beautiful roan; Baron Mantalini (25578), and Red Gauntlet (27248).
As regards the Company's colonial-bred Durham cows, it may be stated that from the outset they have been very carefully bred and served by imported bulls, and during the last twelve years special attention has been given to the culling of the cows, and the selection of the bulls to be put to them. It may be well to add that the Company's shorthorn herd is much more numerous than that of any other breeder in these colonies, and hence it is that they are enabled to offer such a large number of young bulls for sale.

PURE-BRED LINCOLN RAMS.

MORT and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at Mr. Dawson's Yards, Homebush Quarantine Ground, on TUESDAY, 18th November, at half-past 11 o'clock,
77 PURE-BRED LINCOLN RAMS (chiefly two to four tooth),
IN LOTS TO SUIT PURCHASERS.
These really first-class Lincoln rams are for POSITIVE SALE, and having been selected from the studs of Messrs. Austin, Rutledge, Phillips, Armstrong, and Winter, of Victoria, are well worthy of attention, and inspection is invited prior to sale.
For further information required can be obtained on application to
MORT and CO., Circular Quay.

PURE MERINO RAMS.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have been instructed by Henry Burbury, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Quarantine Grounds, Homebush, on TUESDAY, 18th November, at half-past 11 o'clock,
92 merino rams ex City of Hobart.
The above have been very carefully selected from the stud flocks of James Gibson, Esq.;—Taylor, Esq.; Kennedy, Esq.; and other noted breeders.
Intending purchasers leaving the Railway Station by 10.15 train on day of sale, will find an omnibus in attendance to convey them to the Quarantine Grounds.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have been instructed by Messrs. Hunt and Crawford to sell by auction, at the Yards, Homebush, on TUESDAY, 11th November, at 11 o'clock,
1000 prime fat wethers.

SULLIVAN and SIMPSON will sell by order, and on account of, Messrs. Gilchrist, Watt, and Co., at the Homebush Yards, on TUESDAY next, the 11th instant, at 11 o'clock, 1800 prime fat ewes, in lots.

SULLIVAN and SIMPSON have received instructions from Mr. W. Gillett to sell by auction, at the Homebush Yards, on TUESDAY next, the 11th instant, at 11 o'clock, 150 head of very prime and weighty fat cows, in lots.

PRELIMINARY ADVERTISEMENT.

600 CHOICE BREEDING COWS, FROM MR. LANCE'S WELL-KNOWN ML conjoined, FORMERLY C x S HERDS ON THE RICHMOND RIVER.

BREWSTER and TREBECK have received instructions from T. E. Lance, Esq., to sell by auction, at their Rooms, Squatters' Exchange, George-street, Sydney, ABOUT THE LAST WEEK OF JANUARY, 1874,

THE ABOVE VERY SUPERIOR COWS, 2 to 7 years old, highly bred, and good colours.

* * FULL PARTICULARS WILL APPEAR IN A FUTURE ADVERTISEMENT.

PURE-BRED IMPORTED SHORTHORNS.

G. N. GRIFFITHS has been instructed to offer for sale by public auction, at Messrs. Hawkes and Co.'s Yards, 246, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY, November 19, at 3 p.m.,

The following eight splendid pure-bred shorthorn bulls:—

KNIGHT OF TOWNELEY,
Roan, calved November 14th, 1871. Bred by Mr. Atkinson, of Bywell.
No. 2 on horn.
Sire, King Charles, 24240.
dam Red Gem, by Prince Patrick, 16760
gr d Ruby 6th, by General Havelock, 16108
g gr d Ruby, by Duke, 9032
g g gr d Gem, by Halsonio, 6055
g g g gr d Gipsey, by Planet, 4718
g g g g gr d Miss Pegler, by Sol, 2655
g g g g g gr d Ruby, by Harley, 2091
g g g g g g gr d Fortune, by Regent, 2514
g g g g g g g gr d Blossom, by St. Albyn's, 2584
g g g g g g g g gr d, by North Star, 459.

TICHBORNE,
Roan, calved December 26th, 1871. Bred by Messrs. Angas, of Broomley.
No. 4 on horn.
Sire, Prince Charlie, 29606.
dam Primrose, by General Havelock, 16168
gr d Young Matchless, by Duke of Tyne, 12773
g gr d, by Young Hector, 7074
g g gr d, by Young Hastings, 3988
g g g gr d, by Shortlegs, 5124
g g g g gr d, by Ajax, 723
g g g g g gr d, by Hector, 2103
g g g g g g gr d, by Surley, 2715
g g g g g g g gr d, by Sir Harry, 5155
g g g g g g g g gr d, by Colonel, 152
g g g g g g g g g gr d, by son of Hubbuk, 319.

DUKE OF YETHOLM,
Roan, calved February 2nd, 1872.
No. 5 on horn.
Sire, Duke of Wetherby, 21618.
dam Queen of Yetholm, by 2nd Earl of Oxford, 23848
gr d Princess of Yetholm, by Gipsy Prince, 17965
g gr d Young Honeysuckle, by Daisy Bull 2nd, 14364
g g gr d Honeysuckle 2nd, by Ravensworth, 10681
g g g gr d Hepatica, by Lonsdale, 9305
g g g g gr d Fuschia, by Wizard, 6688
g g g g g gr d —, by Wiston, 2848
g g g g g g gr d —, by Walter, 2811
g g g g g g g gr d —, by Mercury, 2301
g g g g g g g g gr d —, by Star, 1479
g g g g g g g g g gr d —, by Wellesley, 1571
g g g g g g g g g g gr d —, by Western Comet, 689
g g g g g g g g g g g gr d —, by Phenomenon, 491
g g g g g g g g g g g g gr d —, by Chieftain, 135.

LORD RAINTON,
Roan, calved February 24th, 1872.
No. 6 on horn.
Sire, Lord Claro, 29084.
dam Economy, by 3rd Lord Lally, 24408
gr d Emilia, by Duke, 17700
g gr d Emma 5th, by Lord Raglan, 13240
g g gr d Emma 4th, by Emperor, 6973
g g g gr d Emma 3rd, by Sir Walter, 2639
g g g g gr d Emma, by Wharncliffe, 2834
g g g g g gr d —, by Kilnshaw, 2176
g g g g g g gr d —, by Guy, 2084
g g g g g g g gr d —, by Frederick, 1060
g g g g g g g g gr d —, by Pyramus, 533
g g g g g g g g g gr d —, by Meteor, 432.

GRAND DUKE OF RAINTON,
Red and white, calved February, 1872.
No. 8 on horn.
Sire, 13th Grand Duke, 21850.
dam Energy, by 3rd Lord Lally, 24408
gr d Ease, by His Grace, 21938
g gr d Emilia, by Duke, 17700
g g gr d Emma 5th, by Raglan, 13240
g g g gr d Emma 4th, by Emperor, 6973
g g g g gr d Emma 3rd, by Sir Walter, 2639
g g g g g gr d Emma, by Wharncliffe, 2834
g g g g g g gr d —, by Kilnshaw, 2176
g g g g g g g gr d —, by Guy, 2084
g g g g g g g g gr d —, by Frederick, 1060
g g g g g g g g g gr d —, by Pyramus, 533
g g g g g g g g g g gr d —, by Meteor, 432.

SIR CHARLES,
Roan, calved March 25th, 1872. Bred by Sir Matthew Ridley.
No. 9 on horn.
Sire, Lord Charles.
dam Baby, by Knight of Killerby, 22054
gr d Primrose, by General Havelock, 16108
g gr d Young Matchless, by Duke of Tyne, 12773
g g gr d Matchless, by Young Hector, 7074
g g g gr d Old Moss Rose, by Young Hastings, 3988
g g g g gr d —, by Short Legs, 5124
g g g g g gr d —, by Ajax, 723
g g g g g g gr d —, by Surly, 2715
g g g g g g g gr d —, by Sir Harry, 5155
g g g g g g g g gr d —, by Colonel, 152
g g g g g g g g g gr d —, by Hubback, 319.

SANDYSIKE,
Roan, calved February 20th, 1872. Bred by Mr. Calvert, of Sandysike.
1 notch left horn.
Was got by Snowdrift (entered in coming vol. of Herd Book).
dam Duchess, by Faldonside, 21718
gr d Duchess, by Rufus, 22811
g gr d Duchess, by Prince Charlie, 10641
g g gr d, by Prince, 8413
g g g gr d, by Son of Emperor, 1974
g g g g gr d, by Brandon, 3207
g g g g g gr d, by Lonsdale, 379
g g g g g g gr d, by Meteor, 2304
g g g g g g g gr d, by Butterfly, 104.

BARONET,
Roan, calved February 13th, 1872. Bred by Mr. Morley, Sweet Wells.
3 notches on left horn.
Was got by Master Bithe, 29312.
dam Red Rose, by Squire Patrick, 27354
gr d Rose of Bywell, by Bywell Victor, 21353
g gr d Rose of the Vale, by Omer Pacha, 16650
g g gr d Red Rosette, by Royal Buck, 10750
g g g gr d, by Hamlet, 8126
g g g g gr d, by Priam, 2452.

Also,
Three splendid pure-bred imported Shorthorn Cows

DUCHESS 2nd,
Red, calved January 20th, 1872. Bred by George Angas, Esq. 1 notch left horn
Was got by Prince Charlie, 29606.
dam Duchess, by Hartington, 28821
gr d Princess, by Prince Richard, 22644
g gr d Daisy, by Triumph, 25333
g g gr d Cherry, by Son of Speculation, 863
g g g gr d, by Malibran
g g g g gr d, by Son of Favorite, 252.

CUMBERLAND MAID,
Roan, calved May 22nd, 1872. Bred by George Angas, Esq.
2 notches left horn.
Was got by Victor, 25370.
dam Maid of the North, by Captain Beverley, 17497
gr d, by North Star, 15007
g gr d, by Captain Shaftoe, 6833
g g gr d, by Duke of Cumberland, 3641.

CHERRY BUD,
Roan, calved February 5th, 1870. Bred by John Angas, Esq.
3 notches left horn.
Was got by Mr. Booth's Merry Monarch, 22449.
dam Cherry Blossom, by Frederick, 14571
gr d Cherry, by Lahore, 11659
g gr d Cherry, by Traveller, 7646
g g gr d, by Fitzmaurice, 3807
g g g gr d, by Reformer, 2502
g g g g gr d, by Leopold, 2199
g g g g g gr d, by Sir Harry, 5156
g g g g g g gr d, by Traveller, 656
g g g g g g g gr d, by Colonel, 152
g g g g g g g g gr d, by Son of Hubbuk, 319.

This splendid Cow, CHERRY BUD, is now 7½ months gone in calf to Roan Chief No. 27294 in "English Herd Book."

The attention of breeders of pure-bred stock is especially directed to this sale, as no other cattle of a similar class can possibly be offered in this market for the next two years.

All the bulls are in splendid condition, and fit for immediate service.

For further particulars apply to the Auctioneer, at his Office, 271, George-street.

Pure-bred Imported
SHORTHORN BULL.

G. N. GRIFFITHS has been instructed to sell by public auction, at Messrs. Hawkes and Co.'s Yards, 246, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY, November 19, at 3 p.m.,

The splendid imported bull,

MONARCH OF THE VALE.

"Monarch of the Vale."—Roan, calved March 9, 1871. Bred by Mr. L. C. Chrisp, Hawkhill, Alnwick, Northumberland. Got by Mr. Booth's Merry Monarch, 22349.
Dam Duchess, by Wolviston, 19163
gr dam Duchess, by Ronald, 8507
g gr Duchess, by Guy Faux, 7061
g g gr Duchess, by The Peer, 6455
g g g gr Duchess, by Bachelor, 1606
g g g g gr Duchess, by Wellington, 683
g g g g g gr Bright Eyes, by Admiral, 4
g g g g g g gr —, by Sir Harry
g g g g g g g gr —, by Colonel, 152
g g g g g g g g gr —, by a grandson of Hubback, 319
g g g g g g g g g gr dam —, by a son of Hubback, 319.

The dam of the above bull was sister to three bulls which had all won the head prizes given by the English Royal Society, the Scottish or Highland Society, and the Royal Irish, as well as two of her brothers being second and third at the Great International Show at Paris in 1855.

Merry Monarch, the sire of the above bull, is one of Mr. Booth's best sires, and is at present hired at a very high sum by Lord Kinnaird.

Sale by Auction, THIS DAY, Saturday, at 11.
At the City Auction Rooms, 292, Pitt-street, near Park-st.

HENRY MOON will sell by auction, THIS DAY, as above,

Cabinet pianoforte, drawing and dining room suites, sideboards, chiffonieres, chairs, tables, washstands, chamber sets, toilet glasses, bedsteads and bedding, commodes, and sundry other furniture. Also, FANCY GOODS, watches, clocks, GENUINE JEWELLERY, glass, crockery, electro-plated ware, INDIAN VERANDAH BLINDS, &c.

H. L. DUNN has received instructions from Mr. John Hart, of 210, Castlereagh-street, in consequence of his retiring from business, to sell by public auction, at his Rooms, 208, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, November 11, at 11 o'clock,

The whole of his well-selected stock of new and second-hand clothing, portmanteaus, and sundries.

No reserve.

Household Furniture, Bedsteads, Tables, Chairs, Crockery, Glassware, Kitchen Utensils, Poultry, &c.

LISTER and GRISDALE will sell by auction, on the premises, 116, Gill-street, one door from Samuel-street, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, the above. No reserve.

WEDNESDAY, 12th instant, at 11 o'clock.

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions to sell by auction, at his Rooms, 149, King-street East,

Superior and useful household furniture and effects
Splendid assortment of books
Dog kennel, cooking stoves, billiard lamp, kegs, clocks, &c., &c.

Positive Sale.
Potatoes. Potatoes. Potatoes.
2000 Bags ex Yarra, from Circular Head, now landing Market Wharf, in splendid condition.

GEORGE WELLS has been instructed to sell by auction, on account of whom it may concern, Wednesday next, November 12, at 3 o'clock,

The above, in lots. Terms, cash.

LAST MONSTER SALE THIS YEAR.

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

To Warehousemen, Woollen Drapers, Clothiers, Outfitters, Tailors, Country Storekeepers, Buyers for the Islands and New Caledonia, and the Trade generally.

Highly important Sale of
WOOLLENS.

MR. CHARLES TEAKLE has been favoured with instructions from J. G. Raphael, Esq., to sell by public auction, at his Rooms, 7, Wynyard-street, on WEDNESDAY, 12th November, commencing at 11 o'clock prompt,

90 packages of the newest and most seasonable woollens, just landed ex DILBHUR, comprising as under:—

GH,
Case 1—332¾ yards silk mixed coatings
Case 2—343 yards ditto ditto
Case 3—335½ yards ditto ditto
Case 4—337½ yards ditto ditto
Case 5—193¾ yards fancy coatings
Case 6—195 yards ditto ditto
Case 7—196½ yards ditto ditto
Case 8—195½ yards ditto ditto
Case 9—192¾ yards ditto ditto
Case 10—138¾ yards ditto ditto
Case 11—140 yards ditto ditto
Case 12—213¾ yards mixed coatings
Case 13—342¾ yards ditto ditto
Case 14—160½ yards silk fancy doe
Case 15—160 yards ¾ silk mixed fancies
Case 16—166 yards ditto ditto
Case 17—162 yards ditto ditto
Case 18—163½ yards ditto ditto
Case 19—244 yards ¾ mixed tweed
Case 20—263½ yards ditto ditto
Case 21—237¾ yards ditto ditto
Case 22—244½ yards ditto ditto
Case 23—242¾ yards ditto ditto
Case 24—234½ yards ditto ditto
Case 25—232 yards ditto ditto
Case 26—316½ yards ditto ditto
Case 27—145¾ yards 3-4 grey doe
Case 28—191½ yards 3-4 striped doe
Case 29—186 yards 3-4 silk mixed striped tweed
Case 30—167 yards 3-4 striped tweed
Case 31—198¾ yards 6-4 mixed tweed
Case 32—186¾ yards 3-4 striped tweed
Case 33—211 yards striped doe
Case 34—182 yards ditto ditto
Case 35—290½ yards ditto ditto
Case 36—199¾ yards 3-4 striped tweed
Case 37—301 yards 3-4 striped doe
Case 38—168¾ yards 3-4 striped tweed
Case 39—329 yards 3-4 mixed tweed
Case 40—137 yards 6-4 mixed tweed
Case 41—136 yards fancy coatings
Case 42—168 yards mixed coatings
Case 43—306½ yards 3-4 striped tweed
Case 44—425½ yards 3-4 striped tweed
Case 45—212½ yards 3-4 striped tweed
Case 46—Sample case of above, containing patterns.

EX WHITE ADDER.
ES,
Case 14—293¾ yards all wool tweed
Case 15—295 yards bordered ditto
Case 16—298½ yards fancy wool ditto
Case 17—193½ yards fancy tweed
Case 26—295½ yards 6-4 fancy wool coatings
Case 27—307½ yards 6-4 fancy coatings
Case 28—289½ yards all wool coatings
Case 29—145½ yards fancy ditto
Case 43—126½ yards 6-4 silk mixed ditto.

EX DILBHUR.
NSW,
Case 1—241½ yards 6-4 mixed coatings
Case 2—247½ yards fancy coatings
Case 3—245½ yards coating
Case 4—246½ yards silk coating
Case 5—245½ yards fancy coating
Case 6—248 yards coating
Case 7—247½ yards 6-4 mixed coating
Case 8—246 yards 6-4 fancy coating
Case 9—247½ yards 6-4 fancy tweed
Case 10—244½ yards 6-4 mixed tweed
Case 11—308½ yards fancy 3-4 doe
Case 12—306½ yards bordered doe
Case 13—297½ yards fancy doe
Case 14—308 yards fancy 3-4 tweeds
Case 15—408½ yards ditto bordered tweed
Case 16—412½ yards fancy tweed
Case 17—211½ yards fancy coatings
Case 18—209¾ yards mixed coatings
Case 19—126½ yards fancy ditto
Case 20—122½ yards 6-4 mixed ditto
Case 21—289¾ yards fancy coatings
Case 22—164 yards fancy doe
Case 23—146½ yards bordered doe
Case 24—109½ yards fancy coatings
Case 25—170 yards mixed coatings
Case 26—164 yards 6-4 fancy ditto
Case 27—186 yards fancy ditto
Case 28—147 yards fancy tweed
Sample case of above.

Ex CHINA, Mail Steamer.
Case 37—Diggers's silk sashes
Ivory-white silk puggarees (fringed), assorted qualities.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—The auctioneer begs respectfully to intimate to buyers of the above THAT THIS IS POSITIVELY THE LAST SHIPMENT THIS YEAR, and probably for some time to come; and, as in all previous sales, every line will be bona fide sold to the highest bidder.

Terms at sale.

Preliminary Notice.

UNRESERVED SALE OF GENERAL DRAPERY, WOOLLENS, CLOTHING, MANCHESTER GOODS, HOSIERY, HATS and CAPS, &c.

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY next, 11th and 12th November.

MR. CHARLES TEAKLE is instructed to sell by auction, at his Rooms, Wynyard-street, on the above days,

55 packages of the above goods, just landed ex Dilbhur.

Details in future issue.

THIS DAY AT QUARTER TO ELEVEN.

SCANDINAVIAN HALL,
Castlereagh-street.

Imperative Sale by Auction
of
250 AMERICAN CHAIRS,
Tables, Fittings, and Sundries,
WITHOUT RESERVE.

ALFRED CHANDLER and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, on the Premises, THE SCANDINAVIAN HALL, Castlereagh-street,

THIS DAY, Saturday, at a quarter before 11 sharp, 250 American chairs, tables, fittings, and sundries.

WITHOUT RESERVE.
Terms, cash.

Double and Single Barrel Guns, Boots, Clothing, Drapery, Gold and Silver Watches, Field Glasses, &c.

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. will sell by public auction, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, at the Mart, Pitt-street,

The above.

WEDNESDAY, 12th November.

In the Insolvent Estate of Robert Condell, of Brickfield-hill, George-street, Sydney, Bootmaker.

By order of the Official Assignee, Frederick T. Humphery, Esq.

To the Boot and Shoe Trade, Manufacturers, Country Buyers, and others.

MR. M. MOLONY is favoured with instructions from the official assignee, F. T. Humphery, Esq., to sell by public auction, on WEDNESDAY next, at 11 o'clock prompt, on the Premises, George-street South, near Bathurst-street, in the insolvent estate of Robert Condell, boot and shoe manufacturer, the stock-in-trade of

Men's, women's, and children's boots and shoes in great variety
Grindery and elastic boot web, &c.
Manufacturing plant, comprising
Cutting and rolling machines
Sewing-machines
Men's, women's, and children's iron lasts and knives
Shop seats and fittings, &c., &c., &c.

Also,

Residue of lease and goodwill of those most eligible premises, being

TEN YEARS FROM 1st JULY LAST, and sundries.

Terms liberal, at sale.
Positively without reserve.

N.B.—A prompt attendance of intending purchasers will greatly oblige the Auctioneer, in order to get through the large number of lines to be submitted.

THIS DAY, 8th November, at 12 o'clock.

At the Australian Auction Rooms, Pitt-street.
Unreserved Sale by Auction,
of
SINGLE SEAT ABBOTT'S TRAY BUGGY, QUITE NEW.

By order of the Melbourne Carriage Company.
To Livery Stablekeepers, Commercial Travellers, and others.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions from the Melbourne Carriage Company to sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 12 O'CLOCK,

A first-class new Abbott's tray buggy.
Terms, cash.

SATURDAY, 8th November, at 11 a.m.

At the Australian Auction Rooms, Pitt-street.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE
of
VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.

CHOICE assortment BOOKS
ELEGANTLY Engraved Glassware
Ivory-handled Table Cutlery
Elkington's BEST Electroplated Ware
FINE OLD OIL PAINTINGS
Proof Engravings
MASSIVE Mahogany Dining-room Suite, covered in morocco
Telescope Dining Table
Carved Sideboard and Cellaret
Bronzes and Ornaments
Brussels Carpets and Rugs
ELEGANT Walnut Drawing-room Suite, covered in green silk rep
Oval Walnut Loo Table
ELEGANT Walnut Chiffoniere, plate glass back and marble slab
Vases, Lustres, and Ornaments
BRILLIANT-TONED Walnut Trichord Cottage PIANOFORTE, by Kirkman
Iron Bedsteads and Bedding
Kitchen Utensils and Sundries.

To Gentlemen Furnishing, Furniture Brokers, and others.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Australian Auction Rooms, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, 8th November, at 11 a.m.,

The above.
Terms, cash.

To Tin Miners and others.

Unreserved Sale by Auction of the Valuable Property and Plant of the
"CEMETERY HILL CREEK TIN MINING COMPANY."

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, Pitt and O'Connell streets, on THURSDAY, 4th December, at 11 o'clock,

The property of the "Cemetery Hill Creek Tin Mining Company," consisting of 120 acres (more or less) on Cemetery Hill Creek, held on mineral lease from the New South Wales Government—rent paid to the end of next year. Together with the plant, huts, mining implements, &c.

Operations have been carried on with payable results. The ore produced has realised in Sydney as high as £81 12s. 6d. per ton.

Early notice of sale is given to afford intending purchasers an opportunity of visiting the ground, or obtaining full information from the locality.

Terms at sale.

Preliminary Notice.

At Goderich Lodge, Upper William-street North, early next month.

Highly Important and Attractive Sale by Auction
of
VALUABLE BRONZES
OIL PAINTINGS and WORKS OF ART
MOSAIC TABLES
MARBLE STATUARY
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
WELL-MATCHED CARRIAGE HORSES
ELEGANT BAROUCHE
LIGHT and ROOMY BROUGHAM
SADDLERY, HARNESS
MILCH COW, &c., &c.

Particulars of which will be published and Catalogues issued.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been favoured with instructions from F. Tooth, Esq. (in consequence of his removal to the country prior to his projected departure for England), to sell by auction, at his residence, Goderich Lodge, Upper William-street, early next month,

The whole of his valuable furniture and effects, horses and carriages, harness, &c., &c.

Terms, cash.

TIN ORE.
From well-known Mines and Private Consignments.

COPPER INGOTS.

Also, SMELTED TIN.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB will sell by auction, at their Rooms, O'Connell-street, on an early day,

Valuable parcels of tin ore and smelted tin.
Terms, cash.

Preliminary Notice.

On THURSDAY, 13th November, at 11 o'clock,
At the Australian Auction Rooms, Pitt-street.

Attractive Sale by Auction,
of,
Ex Dilbhur,
5 CASES NEW BOOKS AND PHOTOGRAPHS, ILLUSTRATED DRAWING-ROOM MANUALS, &c., &c.

Full particulars of which will be published and catalogues issued.

To Booksellers, Librarians, and others.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, on THURSDAY, 13th November, at 11 o'clock,

Ex Dilbhur,
5 packages of the above.
Terms, cash.

PRELIMINARY.

Unreserved Sale.
By order of the Consignees.

Arbroath, Forfar, and Dundee Goods, now landing ex Loch Urr.

On THURSDAY next, 13th instant, at 11.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Sale Rooms, 167, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY next,

290 packages of the above.

Particulars in Tuesday's HERALD.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

FANCY GOODS
ELECTRO-PLATED WARE.
Now landing ex Buckley Castle and Dilbhur.

For Unreserved Sale, on
FRIDAY next, 14th instant, at 11 a.m.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Sale Rooms, 167, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY next, at 11 o'clock,

Invoices of the above named goods, now being received.

Details in Thursday's HERALD.

TO MILLERS, BAKERS, GRAIN DEALERS, and the Trade.

IMPORTANT CLEARING SALE
of the entire Stock-in-Trade of
WHEAT AND FLOUR
of various descriptions and qualities
BRAN, SHARPS, POLLARD
WHEAT BAGS, FLOUR BAGS, and BRAN BAGS
HORSES, DRAYS, HARNESS, &c.
MILL IMPLEMENTS, CHAFFCUTTER, &c.
OFFICE FURNITURE, &c., &c.
WALLSEND COALS.
BREILLAT'S MILLS.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, at Breillat's Mills, Sussex-street, on TUESDAY, November 18th, at 2 o'clock,

The entire stock-in-trade of this large establishment.

Full particulars in future issue.
Terms at sale.

NEW SEASON'S TEAS.
CARGO OF THE ACACIA.

ENTIRE SHIPMENT OF FINEST FIRST CROP CONGOUS,

selected by Messrs. Butterfield and Swire, from the choicest chops offering in the Foo Chow market. The Consignees are advised that this cargo will so commend itself to the consumer as will merit its being considered in point of purity and quality on a par with their former shipments by the

ACACIA and CRAIGFORTH.
951 Chests
4536 Half-chests
593 Boxes.

For Positive Sale, at the City Mart,
WEDNESDAY, November 12.

Under instructions from Messrs. LORIMER, MARWOOD, and ROME.

Muster packages now open, and the Auctioneers would impress upon the Wholesale and Retail Grocery Trade of Sydney and country the advisability of thoroughly testing the merits of these RICH PUNGENT CONGOUS, and acting accordingly.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the City Mart, on WEDNESDAY, November 12, at 11 o'clock,

The entire cargo of CHOICEST FIRST CROP CONGOUS, selected at the opening of the present season for forwardment per ACACIA, in order to obtain a continuance of the estimation accorded to the ACACIA TEAS of last year.

This early notification of sale is given to enable the trade to have every facility for liquoring and testing the various chops.

Full particulars will be given of each line.
Terms liberal.

Coffee. Salt.

Ex ———.
On account of those concerned.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, November 12, at 11 o'clock,

8 bags coffee

Also,

16 bags coarse salt.
Terms, cash.

Clouzeau's Brandy.

By order of the Importers.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, November 12, at 11 o'clock,

D.
30 cases Clouzeau's brandy, each 1 doz. (duty paid.)
Terms, cash.

Flour.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, November 12, at 11 o'clock,

50 bags country flour (just arrived).
Terms, cash.

New Brew.
Bulk Porter.

Ex Ben Lomond, from London.

By order of the Consignee.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, November 12th, at 11 o'clock,

1–5—25 hogsheads Mantell and Co.'s stout
AD—15 ditto ditto porter
JDH— 5 ditto ditto ditto extra porter.
Full particulars at sale.
Terms, liberal.

Tin Ore
Slab Tin.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, on an early day,

Several parcels tin ore
Slab tin.
Terms, cash.

PIGOU AND WILKS' BLASTING POWDER.

For Unreserved Sale.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, November 12, at 11 o'clock,

100 half-barrels blasting powder.
Terms at sale.
No reserve.

Copal Gum.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, on an early day, at their City Mart,

The shipment of copal gum, ex Edith, from New Guinea.

Terms at sale.

TUESDAY, 11th November.

FREEHOLD PROPERTY.

Three Weatherboard Cottages and Land.
JAMES-STREET, ENMORE.

ALFRED CHANDLER and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Offices, 168, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 11th November, at half-past 11 o'clock,

An allotment of land having a frontage of 64 feet 5 inches to James-street, by a depth of 127 feet 2 inches, on which are erected two cottages, containing four rooms each, and one cottage of three rooms, substantially built of weatherboard, with shingled roofs.

The situation is very healthy, situated at the rear of Mr. Judge Josephson's property, and is close to the railway and threepenny 'bus fares to the city.

Title guaranteed.

Preliminary Notice.

POSITIVE SALE.

PITT-STREET, near LIVERPOOL-STREET, close to St. Andrew's School.
TWO BRICK HOUSES, with House at the rear.

TITLE—Apply to JOHN WILLIAMSON, Esq., Solicitor, Elizabeth-street.
TERMS at Sale.

RAYNES, TREEVE, and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at MORT'S ROOMS, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 19th NOVEMBER,

That valuable freehold property, situate on the east side of PITT-STREET, near LIVERPOOL-STREET, close to St. Andrew's School.

Full particulars of which will be shortly published.

POSITIVE SALE.

That fine Freehold Property, situate at BURROWA,

comprising

FLOUR MILL
HOTEL
STORE,

and

7 ACRES OF LAND,

in the heart of the most flourishing agricultural district on the Southern Road.

TITLE unquestionable. TERMS at Sale.

RAYNES, TREEVE, and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at MORT'S ROOMS, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock on WEDNESDAY, 26th November,

That really desirable property, situated in the township of Burrowa, and known as the Burrowa Flour Mill and Hotel.

THE MILL

is two-and-half stories, has a

12 HORSE-POWER HORIZONTAL ENGINE, built by P. N. Russell and Co., of Sydney, driving two pairs of stones, and a smutting machine of the latest construction, also a silk-dresser and lifts.

LARGE STORE DETACHED,
and Slab Cottage.
THE HOTEL

consists of 10 rooms, comfortably arranged and well finished.

As a whole, this really is a most desirable property; the buildings being of granite with shingled roof.

The township of Burrowa is the centre of the most extensive agricultural country in the entire Southern district, inhabited by an industrious and superior class of selectors, while the projected extension of railway will pass the outskirts of the town.

Positive Sale.

Valuable Freehold Properties.

LOT 1. Substantial Residence, situate in Isabella-street, Camperdown.
LOT 2. Splendid Block of Land, Enmore Road, Emily and Fotheringham streets.
LOT 3. Valuable Block of Land, Newtown Road, and Rochford-street.

TITLES unquestionable. TERMS at sale.

RAYNES, TREEVE, and CO. have received instructions from Mr. W. Pritchard to sell by public auction, at MORT'S ROOMS, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 19th November,

LOT 1. That substantial and convenient dwelling-house, built of brick on stone foundations, situate in Isabella-street, Camperdown, (containing passage, 5 rooms and kitchen, stable, small garden, and side entrance. City water can be laid on to the property at a small cost.

LOT 2. Splendid Block of Land adjoining Rosstrevor Villa, having 170 feet frontage to the Enmore Road, 198 feet to Emily-street, and 170 feet to Fotheringham-street.

* * This land will be sold in one or more lots. Plan at the rooms.

LOT 3. Valuable Block of Land, having 30 feet, more or less, frontage to the Newtown Road, and 200 feet, more or less, to Rochford-street, securely fenced in.

* * This block of land will also be sold in one or more lots to suit purchasers. TITLE under TORRENS'S ACT.

☞ The above properties are in the market for positive sale, and are well worth the attention of any one on the look-out for GOOD INVESTMENTS.

TOLLS AND DUES
to be collected upon the
OLD and NEW SOUTH HEAD ROADS
during the year 1874, in accordance with the Act 13 Victoria, cap. 41.
TERMS at SALE.

RAYNES, TREEVE, and CO. have received instructions from the COMMISSIONERS of the SOUTH HEAD ROAD TRUST to sell by public auction, at MORT'S ROOMS, Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m. on WEDNESDAY, 19th November,

The above tolls and dues.

SURRY HILLS.
CROWN AND FOVEAUX STREETS.

ALLOTMENT of LAND, 20 feet frontage to Crown-street, with COTTAGE fronting FOVEAUX-STREET, containing 5 rooms, kitchen, and bathroom.

TITLE unquestionable. TERMS at Sale.

RAYNES, TREEVE, and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at MORT'S ROOMS, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 19th November,

That choice freehold property situate at Surry Hills, having 20 feet frontage to CROWN and FOVEAUX STREETS, with brick cottage and slated roof built to the latter street, containing 5 rooms, kitchen, and bathroom.

☞ This is a most valuable little freehold, in an excellent position, and well worth attention.

CLOSING SALE.

FREEHOLD PROPERTIES.

LOT 1. Allotment of Land, in GLOUCESTER-STREET, opposite the WHALER'S ARMS INN, having 26 feet frontage by a depth through to CAMBRIDGE-STREET, to which there is a frontage of 25 feet, together with the old building thereon.

LOT 2. BLOCK of LAND, situate at PEACOCK'S POINT, BALMAIN, having 51 feet, more or less frontage, to JOHNSON'S BAY, extending back 116 feet to EDWARD-STREET, to which there is a frontage of 52 feet.

* This land is between the properties of Messrs. Smith and Gardiner, and is the only unoccupied land having water frontage in the neighbourhood.

LOT 3. STONE COTTAGE, situate in William-street, BALMAIN, containing 4 rooms and kitchen, with never-failing supply of water.

* This property is in the occupation of Mr. Sims, and is well built and pleasantly situated.

LOT 4. ALLOTMENT of LAND, having 20 feet frontage to LUDDY-STREET, BALMAIN, extending back to William-street, with a 4-room weatherboard Cottage.

* This little property is worth the notice of any poor man anxious to save the expense of rent.

TITLES unquestionable. TERMS at Sale.

RAYNES, TREEVE, and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at MORT'S ROOMS, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 19th NOVEMBER,

The above-described freehold properties.

* The attention of those in search of bargains is directed to these sales which are imperative, and well worth consideration.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

STRATHDON STATION,
KENNEDY DISTRICT, QUEENSLAND.

G. N. GRIFFITHS has been instructed to sell by public auction, on FRIDAY, 28th November next, at the Hall of Commerce, Exchange-buildings, Sydney (unless previously disposed of), and without Stock, that large and valuable grazing property

STRATHDON,
in the Kennedy District, Queensland.

This really first-class station is situated on the Don River, by which and the tributary streams it is amply and permanently watered.

The area of this run is about 200 square miles, and it is fully capable of depasturing a herd of about 7000 cattle.

The improvements are extensive and ample for the working of a large herd of cattle; they comprise the necessary head station buildings, stockyards, paddocks, &c., all in good working order.

Strathdon is within easy reach of the large and increasing gold-fields at Normanby and Ravenswood, at which, and also at Bowen, the fat stock off this run meet with a ready sale.

For full particulars, price, &c., apply to
G. N. GRIFFITHS,
271, George-street, Sydney.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.
ALBRO STATION,
SOUTH KENNEDY DISTRICT, QUEENSLAND.

G. N. GRIFFITHS has been instructed to sell by public auction, on FRIDAY, 28th November next, at the Hall of Commerce, Exchange-buildings, Sydney,

The well known Station

ALBRO,
district of South Kennedy, Queensland.

Albro includes the famous Lestree Hill Block, and is situated on the Belyando River, by which and various creeks and lagoons it is well and permanently watered.

This run is first-class fattening country, and its proximity to the Clermont market renders it a most desirable investment.

The capabilities of the run are very large, and could be still further extended.

The improvements are ample and good, and everything is in first-rate working order; they consist of two (2) paddocks, stockyard, and milking yards; dwelling-house, store, men's huts, &c.; and also good garden, stocked with choice fruit and orange trees.

With the station will be sold a small herd of 700 head of Cattle (more or less), mixed ages and sexes, and including 100 head of milkers. The cattle are good and remarkably quiet, being carefully bred from the milking herd.

Purchaser will be required to take horses, working plant, stores, &c., at valuation.

Full particulars, &c., on application to
G. N. GRIFFITHS, 271, George-street.

WEDNESDAY, December 17.

For Absolute Sale, to close Partnership Account.

NATAL DOWNS STATION,
South Kennedy District,
QUEENSLAND.

G. N. GRIFFITHS has been instructed to sell by public auction, on WEDNESDAY, December 17th, (instead of November 26th) at the Hall of Commerce, Exchange-buildings, Sydney, at Noon,

That splendid pastoral property Natal Downs, together with 11,346 (more or less) carefully bred well-woolled sheep, and 2300 (more or less) well-bred cattle.

NATAL DOWNS consist of the following; 8 blocks of country:—

NATAL DOWNS, No. 1
Ditto, No. 2
Ditto, No. 3
Ditto, No. 4
Ditto, No. 5
ENGLIEA
EMU PLAINS, No. 1
Ditto, No. 2

which embrace an area of about 548 square miles of good grazing country, admirably adapted for either sheep or cattle, on account of the great elevation in which the station lies above the sea level. This station is well watered throughout by numerous creeks and their tributaries, and by the well-known Lake Cecilia, which is a large sheet of fresh unfailing water.

The carrying capabilities for both sheep and cattle are very extensive. The improvements are good and substantial; they are complete in every respect, and include a great amount of first-rate fencing wire, good house, paddock, large woolshed, with rack and pinion press, stockyards, manager's and men's cottages, store, &c. With the station will be sold the following sheep:—

Wedders, 2½ to 5 years	..	1134	more or less.
Rams	..	144	
Ewes, 4½ to aged ..	..	4010	
3½ years ..	..	800	
2½ years ..	..	478	
Mixed hoggets, 1½ years	..	2280	
Weaners..	..	2500	
		11,346 more or less.	

Of the above ewes, 1370 were lambed down in all October and the lambs from these will be given in.

ALSO 2300 well bred cattle, to be mustered and delivered. A first-rate herd, bred on station, from a picked lot of heifers and by bulls from Messrs. Robertson's stud herd, Baffle Creek.

The great advantage possessed by Natal Downs is in its proximity to the numerous rich Northern gold-fields, which afford a ready market at very high prices for the fat stock—drafts of fat cattle having been recently sold off this station up to £8 per head.

Intending purchasers are invited to inspect this fine property which is for bona fide sale.

Terms of sale, one-third cash, balance at 1, 2, and 3 years, at 7 per cent interest per annum.

Full particulars on application to G. N. GRIFFITHS, 271, George-street, Sydney.

Mungi Bungi Station,
Gwydir District.

Together with about 4000 Head of Cattle, the progeny of pure-bred Bulls.

G. M. PITT has received instructions from Charles Baldwin, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Exchange, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 3rd December, at 12 o'clock,

That splendid breeding and fattening station

MUNGI BUNGI,

situate in the Gwydir district, and having a large frontage to the Mehi and Big Rivers.

With the station will be sold a mixed herd of about 4000 head of cattle, which for breeding and quality cannot be surpassed. The character of the O B brand is so well known in this and the neighbouring colonies that any comments as to its excellence would be superfluous; suffice it to say that nothing but pure-bred shorthorn bulls have been used for the last 18 years, and especial attention has been paid to the selection and culling of the cows.

There are now in one paddock 192 very highly-bred heifers, from 20 months to 3 years old, and which have only lately been removed from his pure-bred herd at Manilla, Namoi River. All of these are of the most fashionable blood, being got by some of his best bulls, and out of very choice cows.

In another paddock there are 57 pure-bred heifers, all got by his imported bull Skylark, and out of pure-bred cows. These can be taken at the option of the purchaser at a price to be named on the day of sale.

There will be about 500 really prime fat cattle by the day of sale, and as there are a large proportion of bullocks on the run, the purchaser can depend on getting a quick return for his outlay.

There have been 12 splendid young bulls turned into the herd this year. All got by Skylark (imported). The country cannot be excelled for its richness and fattening qualities. The whole of it consists of myall plains, and every inch is available. It has about 8 miles frontage to the Big River, and the Mehi runs through its entire length. The belt of land between the Mehi and Big Rivers, which is commonly called "the Island," is considered the best piece of fattening country in the Northern districts.

Both these rivers have never been known to fail even in the driest seasons. The improvements consist of substantial cottage of 4 rooms, kitchen, overseer's dwelling-house, stores, stockmen's huts, &c. There are two splendid stockyards, recently put up, and which are capable of working the whole herd. They are, without exception, the best on that side of the country.

There are 3 paddocks, all substantially fenced with 2-rail fencing, one of 1000 acres, one of 700 acres, and one of 200 acres.

Purchased land to be taken at £1 per acre.

The Auctioneer particularly invites intending purchasers to inspect this truly valuable property, as it is an opportunity of securing a herd that is allowed to be

NEARLY PURE BRED,

and it is in the market for positive sale.

Terms at sale.

Further particulars may be had from
G. M. PITT,
Greville's Rooms.

IMPORTANT SALE.

CITY BUILDING ALLOTMENTS,
CIRCULAR QUAY, MACQUARIE and ALBERT STREETS.

SUBURBAN LAND, MIDDLE HARBOUR, TEMPE, Cook's River, and Battersea, Parramatta River.

DELIGHTFULLY SITUATED ELEVATED COUNTRY SITE, Mount Victoria, near the RAILWAY STATION.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from JOHN WALKER, Esq. (who is returning to Europe), to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st November, at 11 o'clock,

CITY OF SYDNEY.

The following valuable properties, vacant land, Circular Quay, Macquarie-street, and Albert-street:—

1. ALLOTMENT 5, SECTION 106 Government plan of the Circular Quay, corner allotment, having 30 feet frontage to Macquarie-street, and 78 feet 8 inches to Albert-street.

2. ALLOTMENT 6, SECTION 106, same plan, having 30 feet frontage to Macquarie-street, by a depth of 68 feet 8 inches.

3. ALLOTMENT 7, SECTION 106, same plan, having 30 feet frontage to Macquarie-street, by same depth, and abutting on the Circular Quay.

* * The titles to the above are grants from the Crown direct to the vendor.

4. ALLOTMENT 18, SECTION 106, same plan (adjoining Talbot's stores), having 33 feet 6½ inches frontage to the Circular Quay, and 33½ feet frontage to Macquarie-street. Title, grant from the Crown.

* * The whole of the above important sites will be greatly enhanced in value by the proximity of the new Government offices, and more especially by the large increased shipping accommodation (treble or quadruple) to be afforded by the extensive improvements about to be made at the Circular Quay. The three first allotments form one large block, with frontage to Macquarie-street, opposite Government House grounds, Albert-street, and the Circular Quay; the only block of any extent now available for the class of buildings which these improvements render necessary.

SUBURBAN.

MIDDLE HARBOUR.—10 ACRES, water frontage, near Pearl Bay recreation grounds. Title, grant to vendor.

TEMPE, COOK'S RIVER.—Allotment 5, section 4, 31 feet to Hart-street.

PARRAMATTA RIVER, village of Battersea.—Allotments 43, 46, and 104, in three lots. These allotments are on and adjoining the Great Northern Road to the ferry at [illegible], and near the site of the proposed bridge.

COUNTRY.

MOUNT VICTORIA.—12 ACRES, with TOLL-HOUSE and other buildings thereon, near the Railway Station, commanding [illegible] views of the surrounding scenery. Title, grant to vendor.

Plans on view at the Rooms.
Terms at sale.

AUCTION SALES.

GRAND SALE OF
FIRST-CLASS STATIONS,
SITUATED IN THE NOTED DISTRICTS OF
LIVERPOOL PLAINS AND GWYDIR,
IN NEW SOUTH WALES,
and of
DARLING DOWNS AND MARANOA DISTRICTS,
IN QUEENSLAND,
to be held on
TUESDAY, the 9th DECEMBER NEXT,
including the following well-known properties,
in seven lots, viz.:—
NEW SOUTH WALES.
LIVERPOOL PLAINS DISTRICT.

Lot 1.—"BURBURGATE,"
with 91,000 SHEEP, more or less,
200 HEAD OF CATTLE, more or less.

Lot 2.—"GUNDEMAINE,"
with 9000 HEAD OF CATTLE, more or less.

Lot 3.—"EDGEROI" and "GALATHERA,"
with 70,000 SHEEP, more or les s(chiefly fattening).

Lot 4.—"NOWLEY,"
with 20,000 SHEEP, more or less (all fattening).

Lot 5.—"MUNGYER,"
GWYDIR DISTRICT,
with 9000 HEAD OF CATTLE, more or less.

QUEENSLAND.
Lot 6.—"DAANDINE" and "GREENBANK,"
DARLING DOWNS DISTRICT,
with 5500 CATTLE, more or less.

Lot 7.—"KOOROON,"
MARANOA DISTRICT,
with 1500 HEAD OF CATTLE, more or less.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the proprietor, EBENEZER VICKERY, Esq., to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on
TUESDAY, the 9th December next,
at 11 o'clock,
The above-mentioned pastoral properties.

The following short statement of some of the leading features and particulars of these valuable stations are framed from the personal observations of a member of our firm, who, at the request of Mr. Vickery, visited the stations with the view of satisfying himself that the information supplied by their respective managers could not be gainsaid by intending purchasers who might inspect them.

The stations, it is intended, shall be offered in the order given above, and in like order we present the following information.

LOT 1.—BURBURGATE.

This property is situated about eight miles from Gunnedah, and lies on both sides of the river Namoi. Burburgate North, being the more important part of the property, will be dealt with first. It comprises the four contiguous blocks called Burburgate, Bool, Boggibri, and Dripping Rock, in the aggregate embracing an area of 166,000 acres of pasturage, much varying in character, from the richly herbed open plains to the wool-growing, lightly timbered sound box forests, running into well-grassed ridges at the foot of the mountain ranges, with small patches of scrub and ironbark; the diversity of the country, each part of the run being clothed with its peculiar kind of grass, as well as with thickly grown saline herbs of many sorts, affords ample change of feed for the flocks, and tends to keep them in their present healthy condition. The water supply is afforded by twenty-six miles of frontage to the Namoi River, eight dams, andseveral natural creeks, Bollol and Wean Creeks, and the famous sheet of water known as Barber's Lagoon, both sides of which, extending nearly its whole length, being included amongst the purchased land to which reference will presently be made. A very large proportion of the country is enclosed by fencing, and subdivided into paddocks. Commencing with the Homestead paddock of 400 acres, with its many sub-divisions for cultivation, &c., which are hardly worth mentioning, the paddocks extend along the river to the eastern boundary of the Boggibri Block, and run back in some instances to the whole extent of the run. They are classed as horse, cattle, and sheep paddocks, and the following list gives some information of their purpose, approximate area, and general style of country enclosed within their respective boundaries.

CATTLE AND HORSE PADDOCKS—STUD FLOCK.

PLAIN PADDOCKS.—Three, each containing an area of about three square miles, enclosing richly-grassed plains, with light belts of box timber.

RIVER PADDOCKS.—Three, each of similar areas to the above, and enclosing rich river flats, lightly timbered with box and gum.

HORSE PADDOCK has an area of about four square miles, principally open box forest and river flats, extending along the Namoi for about two miles.

SHEEP PADDOCKS.

PARNELL'S WATERHOLE.—This encloses an area of about thirty-five square miles of first-class country, nearly every acre being myall and box, and well watered by Barber's Lagoon and Driggle Draggle Creek, and an excellent and substantial dam.

BULL PADDOCK lies on the Namoi, along whose waters it extends about seven miles, while the back part is well supplied by the continuation of Driggle Draggle Creek. A large proportion of this paddock is similar in quality to its neighbour Parnell's Waterhole, being myall and box, the other portion being but slightly inferior.

NEMORE PADDOCK surrounds the homestead, and the small river and plain paddocks previously mentioned. It contains about thirty square miles of country, principally well grassed and lightly timbered with box and rosewood; its water supply is obtained by a short frontage (about one mile) to the Namoi, and by a large dam at back, conserving a great body of water equal to many months' requirements without further replenishment.

WATSON PLAIN PADDOCK backs up Nemore paddock, and extends to the mountains which close in its fourth side. Its area is about twenty-five square miles of rich country, principally myall and box, changing into pine ridges as the base of the mountain range is approached.

DRIPPING ROCK PADDOCK.—This is the last completed paddock, and encloses about thirty-five square miles of capital pasturage, well watered by a good well and large dam, affording an abundant supply for its carrying capacity of stock. Adjoining this paddock there is now, in course of erection, another paddock of large area, to enclose first-class country, both level and mountainous, as well as the Mihi and Bollol Creeks; fifteen miles are already completed and a few miles only remain to be done, when the country so enclosed should carry at least 16,000 sheep all the year round. In addition to the natural watercourses, Mihi and Bollol, this paddock has an ample supply by a well-constructed dam, now full, and estimated to water 16,000 sheep for two years without further rainfall.

This concludes the list of paddocks on the north bank of the Namoi; the rest of the country on this side is bounded by the main range of mountains dividing the run from the well-known property "Tulcumbah," belonging to Messrs. Higgins and Wills Allen—except the Boggibri block, which is, as yet, unfenced, except for a short distance on the dividing line with the Theribry run, and the fences forming the Parnell's water-hole and Dripping Rock paddocks. The area of Boggibri is about 42,000 acres, and is all well watered by the river frontage, Barber's Lagoon, two large dams, and a well, the back part having Back Creek for a boundary.

Before referring to the improvements on the north portion of the property, we will now make reference to the paddock accommodation on the other side of the river, which is as follows, viz.:—

MILLIMORE PADDOCK.—This enclosure contains an area of about thirty-five square miles. It commences on the river to which it has a frontage of nearly six miles, and extends back something more than half the distance between the river and the fence separating the Gullendaddy Run from Burburgate. The country for sheep-farming can hardly be surpassed; it consists of plains, with occasional belts of box rising into undulating downs, leading to stony ridges and again descending into gentle rolling country. The back portion of the paddock is abundantly watered by the Millimore Dam.

COWMORE PADDOCK adjoins the foregoing, and extends along the river to the reserve for the town of Gunnedah. Its area is about twenty-four square miles, and its country is hardly second to Millimore, being plain with light box forest and rosewood; its frontage to the river extends four miles.

SUGAR LOAF PADDOCK backs up Cowmore, and contains within its enclosures about twenty square miles. It is sound ridgy country, well grassed, rising into ranges timbered with oak, with occasional patches of carrickaba scrub. The water is supplied by two dams and a well seventy-nine feet deep, with whim, tank, and troughs.

COLYGRATH AND UPPER COLYGRATH.—These paddocks contain respectively about twenty-five and thirty-five square miles of pasturage. The country is varied in description, embracing rich tracts of myall, as well as open box forests, and rosewood, and some oak scrubs. The supply of water is assured on Colygrath by two large dams, also a well with whim, and troughing, and on Upper Colygrath, the fencing of which has only been completed very recently, by a very large dam, and a second one now in course of construction.

At the overseer's station, at "Denneigh," there are TWO PADDOCKS, of 400 and 60 acres respectively, and THREE FOR CULTIVATION, of which there are about 9 acres under lucerne.

STUD CATTLE PADDOCKS.—These are situated on the river flat, and contain one thousand acres and five hundred acres respectively. The country is richly grassed plain, with sufficient timber for shelter.

The above list enumerates all the paddocks (except the small ones about the homestead and woolshed), and may be stated in one line as TWENTY-FIVE PADDOCKS, supplied by SEVENTEEN dams and SIX wells, with whims, tanks, &c., in addition to the extensive frontages on both the north and south side of the river Namoi. The carrying capabilities of the paddocks have not yet been fully tested—the general manager, Mr. D. H. Dunlop, having always kept a large area of enclosed country in reserve—but it may be stated that of the Burburgate flocks, numbering 100,000 sheep, 70,000 have been long depastured in paddocks, leaving about 30,000 to be shepherded on the outside or unpaddocked country. The paddock sheep include nearly the bulk of the ewes, of which 40,000 were sent to the rams, and left to lamb naturally, the increase answers the expectations, as it is estimated that upwards of 30,000 lambs will be gathered at weaning time, should the intervening months prove anything like the average of seasons known at Burburgate.

Before quitting the paddocks we may say a word about the dams, walls, fences, &c. The first mentioned are not mere banks of earth thrown across watercourses, but are scientifically erected at great cost, and properly turned at the wings with logged let-offs. A site for a dam having been determined, many yards within it an excavation from eight to twelve feet deep, and sometimes as large as twenty by forty yards, is made, and the earth so removed is banked on a broad basis for the length required, and each layer to the necessary height undergoes considerable pressure from the passing to and fro of the carts and horses conveying the soil. This plan renders the dam firm and equal to the pressure of water along its face, while the excavation forms a reservoir which holds a large supply as a standby.

WELLS.—These are all strongly timbered, with substantial rests for the winding gear. The two buckets contain each about sixty gallons, and are self-acting in discharging their contents into the tanks.

FENCING.—This most important item in the economical working of station properties will be found on "Burburgate" to hold an equally high character with the rest of the permanent improvements. Its mileage is enormous, and it is principally of posts and wires—sheep-proof. Some of the back fences are close log and chock like a wall, the necessary timber for it being in plentiful supply on the adjoining lands extending to the mountain ranges.

The improvements on this station, both north and south of the river, are so numerous that we think it best to confine our remarks to those of importance, though it must not be forgotten that there is proper accommodation on all parts of the run for boundary riders and shepherds, tank men and other employees.

The head station is prettily situated on a high bank on the north side of the river, and comprises a commodious dwelling-house with all necessary outbuildings, and surrounded by a tastefully laid out garden, orchard, and vineyard, all in good order. The garden affords strong evidence of the care bestowed upon it, and as a matter of comparison this floral oasis, blossoming in roses in the wild bush, would put many of our choice suburban gardens to the blush.

Some short distance away are situated a second superintendent's dwelling-house; bulk, retail ration, meat (a well-ventilated butcher's shop), and tool stores; blacksmith and carpenter's shop, residence for clerk and storekeeper, large offices, and other buildings. The shed for storing wool waiting carriers is well built and roofed with iron, and is capable of holding 1000 bales of wool. At present it contains some spare and old machinery, and other heavy stores. The improvements on this part of the run would pass well for a country township, a sign post, creaking board, and lamp post alone being required to complete it. About two miles down the river is the boiling-down establishment, having a complete plant for steaming down stock. The two steam digesters, each holding about 120 sheep, are supplied from a ten-horse power cornish boiler, which also works a donkey-engine to drive pumps, &c. For turning mutton or beef into refined tallow, the plant is perfect, and in first-rate condition, a large quantity, between 200 and 300 of new casks, being also ready for use when their services are required. The new industry of meat-preserving puts aside, in a measure, the necessity for a steaming plant on a large scale; and from a tallow-rendering point of view, this plant is now far less valuable than it was; but as it could, at no very great expense, be adapted for the purposes of meat preserving, and has all along been well looked after, its importance, though not greatly increasing the present value of the property, should not be overlooked as a probable source of profit for the future.

Continuing down the river we come to the wash-pool, spouts, drying yards, shearing sheds, bin room, pressing and packing stores, and here again a second township, sans inn, meets the view. A minute description of all the improvements on this part of the run would occupy more space than we are able to afford so we shall content ourselves by a short description of the wash-pool and shed, and leave to intending purchasers the opportunity of enumerating the many other buildings which cluster about them.

To begin with the wash-pool. The sheet of water used for this purpose runs parallel to the river, and is about a quarter of a mile long, by a width of twenty to twenty-five yards. Its water is supplemented by a continual stream, fresh from the river, raised by a centrifugal pump, driven by a ten horse-power portable engine, and supplying about 600 gallons a minute. This fresh water is discharged into an iron tank sunk in the lagoon, so that it first comes under the pump supplying the tanks above the spouts, thereby giving the spouts a large proportion of fresh water as compared with that from the standing lagoon, which has already done duty through the spouts. This second pump is driven by an eight horse-power engine, and keeps the tank above the spouts full to the brim (six feet); close by, and led into by convenient yards and lanes, is the soak-pen, from which the sheep are conducted in Indian file through a further soaking process in a fifteen inch canal covering them to the chin, to the pen supplying the spouts from which they are delivered down shoots as required by the washers. The spouts are six in number with a ten feet fall of water, each worked by two men, with an underlying table, upon which the sheep operated on are supported and easily turned; the thin edge of water, of about an eighth of an inch by three feet long acts on the sheep's fleece like a small tooth-comb, and drives out dirt and seeds, if any, in a wonderfully short time; the sheep being then released ascend a sloping gangway from the water to a battened lane leading to the drying yard. These yards and approaches, all battened, are raised about three feet from the ground, and cover an area of 25,209 square feet, upon which the sheep are dried prior to shearing, and well watered by troughs during their detention. The spouts are equal to washing 2000 sheep per diem.

SHEARING SHED, SWEATING-ROOM, BINS, AND PACKING STORE.—This range of buildings, all of sawn timber, with galvanized iron roofs, well lighted and ventilated, may be mentioned as three—the sweating and shearing floor being separated from the press and wool-room by a covered way containing the bins for mellowing the fleeces, as shorn and classed, and the packing and wool room. The shearing-shed proper is sixty feet by forty, with sweating sheds attached, one hundred and fifty by forty feet. The floor has room for forty shearers, and the shed cover for 2000 sheep. The room for classed fleeces is sixty by twenty-one feet, and the press-room, with rack and pinion press, is fifty by twenty-one feet. Altogether it is one of the most perfect establishments of its kind and size to be found in the colony, and its convenient arrangement may be summarised by saying that the washed sheep go in at one end, and the fleeces, packed in bales, go out at the other, without confusion of any sort. This range of buildings was erected under the direction of Mr. Dunlop, the general manager, in 1871, at a cost of £1800, but if required to be put up now, an amount of nearly double that sum would hardly see an enterprising builder safe through. They are from first to last in excellent order. In addition to the above there is another large shed for scoured wool, with rack and pinion press, bins, &c., opening into the battened yards for drying; the spouts at the wash-pool being capable of adjustment for washing the fleece on the sheep's back, or for scouring in a first-class manner such portion of the clip which it may be thought expedient to take off in the grease. A large store, office, and mess-house, are conveniently placed on the western side of the shed, and then comes the township of buildings, for the large number of hands engaged at the time of shearing.

It may be mentioned that in connection with the eight-horse power engine is a circular-saw bench for cutting firewood, and that the ways are laid for a second saw bench with travelling tables in connection with the larger engine, machinery for which is on the spot, and ready to be put to work at a few hours' notice.

At DENNEIGH there is a comfortable cottage, kitchen, good garden, &c., for the superintendent in charge of that portion of the run, with stables and a substantial building covering loose boxes, for the care of the pedigree bulls, to which we shall refer when giving particulars of the stud herd.

At BOGGIBRI there is also a large cottage for the superintendent over that portion of the run, with yards for the stud ewes, and other buildings.

At DUBBLEDAH, on the north side of the river, and fronting the track from Narribri to Gunnedah, is a well-built, highly-finished, commodious inn, containing eight rooms, with all necessary outbuildings, garden, and paddock of about seventy acres. This inn is now let at a rental of £52 per annum.

Leaving the many other improvements to speak for themselves on inspection, we now proceed to particularise the stock to be sold with this property. The SHEEP are as follows, viz.:—

EWES—	12 to 18 months	10,500	
	2 to 2½ years	15,000	
	3 years	12,000	
	4 years	9,000	
	5 years (none aged)	9,000	
	Stud ewes (of ages)	1,600	
			57,100
WETHERS—	12 and 18 months	10,500	
	2 to 4 years	22,000	32,500
RAMS			1,400
			91,000

The above numbers are not intended to be exact, but are believed to be closely approximate.

*** The spring increase from 40,000 ewes put to the rams, estimated to produce, at weaning, 30,000 first-rate lambs, will be given to the purchaser free of charge.

Of the flocks, it need only be said that they are all of Burburgate breed, though some of the three and four-year-old wethers have had the advantage of a season's grass on the noted Edgeroi fattening run; a sample of their this season's clip may be seen at our office; but a reference to the London Catalogues, showing the prices obtained for last year's clip (ranging from 2s 3d to 2s 9½d per lb.) should be a more satisfactory indication of the quality of the wool, than the exhibition of any small sample, or anything that we could write on the subject. It is as well to state, that all the ewes above five years old have been set apart, and will be removed from the run before the date of delivery—their lambs, now running with them, when weaned, will be included in the gift of 30,000 head previously referred to.

STUD CATTLE.

This is a small choice herd of cows, picked with great care and judgment from about 9000 of the Gundemaine cattle—a herd which, for many years, has stood pre-eminent amongst the best of the colony, and from which, may be mentioned, were selected many cows, to form the basis of the now famous stud-stock of Nepean Towers, belonging to Dr. Jenkins. This herd numbers ninety cows and heifers, with between forty and fifty calves (chiefly male) at foot, the progeny of pedigree bulls (imported), and as a whole, in point of breed and beauty, can scarcely be surpassed; every animal is a picture. The stud bulls are PURE SHORTHORN DURHAM, viz.:—

RICHMOND.
Pedigree:
RICHMOND, red, calved 27th April, 1870, bred by C. Bruce, Esq., Broadland, got by Emperor (26096)
Dam (Lady Caroline) by Signet Seal (18824)
Gr dam (Lady March) by Dipple (14401)
Gr g d (Young Jenny Lind) by Orbliston (24691)
Gr gr g d (Jenny Lind) by Jacob (6101)
Gr gr gr g d bought from L. Crombie, Esq., Pheedo.

ROAN PRINCE.
Pedigree:
ROAN PRINCE, roan, calved 5th June, 1870, got by Prince of Worcester (20597). [Prince of Worcester gained the Cup at Worcester as a yearling, and the Cup at Royal Northern, in 1865.]
dam (Rosemary) by Signet Seal (18824)
gr dam (Rose) by Western Star (25430)
gr g d (Countess) by Red Lugga (24919)
gr gr g d (Highland Mary) by Orbliston (24691)
gr gr gr g d (Nancy) by Mr. Perre's bull.

CAPTAIN.
Pedigree:
CAPTAIN, red, calved 14th December, 1871, on board the Sobraon, got by Baron Colling (25560)
dam (Rose) by Felix Booth (23925)
gr dam (Red Rose) by Magnum Bonum (13277)
gr g d (Profit) by Lochnagar (9303)
gr gr g d (Almond Flower) by Holkar (4041)
gr gr gr g d (Eglantine) by Brougham (1746), son of Curry's Duchess, by Wellington (683)
gr gr gr gr g d —, by a bull of Mr. Mason's Chilton.

The flower of the herd is the imported pure short-horn cow ROSE.
Pedigree:
Rose, roan, calved 13th June, 1869, bred by the Duke of Richmond, got by Felix Booth (23925)
Dam (Red Rose), by Magnum Bonum (13277)
gr dam (Profit), by Lochnagar (9303)
gr g d (Almond Flower), by Holkar (4041)
gr gr g d (Eglantine), by Brougham (1746), son of Curry's Duchess by Wellington (683)
gr gr gr g d —, by a bull of Mr. Mason's Chilton.
Rose was served March 4, 1871, by Baron Colling (25560).

She has a bull calf, by Roan Prince, at her side, born in May last, and named Crown Prince. The pedigree of this valuable animal is registered in the Stud-herd Book.

It is proposed that the small herd of high-class cattle should be made part of the contract at a lump sum, instead of putting each beast to valuation, and so aggregating a very considerable figure. In addition to the above stud-herd, there are about one hundred head of cattle, milch cows, and their increase, and a few cattle for rations. They will also be added to the contract at a fixed rate per head. At the option of the purchaser the herd of stud cattle may be excluded from the purchase altogether.

HORSE STOCK.

This stock, which numbers amongst it some very well-bred brood mares, is as follows, viz.:—

Saddle and light draught	90
Dray	30
Cart	8
Unbroken, including many of good stamp, fit to put to work, about	220
Mules, draught	3
Entires	3
In all about	354

The Entires are:—

"SCOTCH JOCK," bred by Hoskisson, a splendid draught stallion by Scotch Jock (imported); dam by Farmer's Glory (imported).

"WOOLLOOMOOLOO," by Woolloomooloo (imported)—a very handsome high-bred horse.

"THEOREM," a coaching horse, bred by Bell.

With these entires there are running, in separate paddocks, twenty-five, sixteen, and twelve selected mares respectively.

This stock will rank in the purchase money as £1500, or may be taken by the purchaser at a valuation to be determined by arbitration.

STORES AND WORKING PLANT.

The stores, which on the average amount to £1300, shall be taken by the purchaser at invoice price and carriage added.

The machinery, including the four steam engines, shall rank in the purchase money as £1000, or may be taken by valuation as above mentioned.

The working bullocks (twenty-five), drays (three), waggons (three), carts (five), harness, implements, tools, saddlery, and other belongings, shall be taken by valuation, as usual.

PURCHASED LAND.

This item comprised 5285 acres in fee-simple, purchased at auction and by right of improvements, and with Volunteers' certificates; also numerous selections aggregating 4108 acres, upon 3348 of which the Government regulations for improvements, &c., have been complied with, and the lands can be transferred at once. The remaining 760 acres, in six lots, are recent selections, and have been improved, as required by the Land Law, but which are not yet ready for transfer. They will, however, be duly made over to the purchaser of the property.

These lands will rank in the purchase money at £9393.

Government rent, £650.

LOT II.—GUNDEMAINE.

This magnificent station is distant about seven and a half miles from the town of Narrabri, and has a frontage to the Namoi River of nearly sixteen miles, extending to Wee Waa, from which it is divided by its own fences. It comprises three blocks, known as Gundemaine, Gundemaine North, and Wee Waa North, together embracing an area ascertained by survey to contain 191,000 acres. This vast extent of country may be truly said to be subdivided into three paddocks for breeding, weaning, and fattening purposes. Commencing with the Namoi River, the country, varying in width from three miles to half-a-mile, can only be described as myall and saltbush rich in pasturage and shade, but low-lying and subject to floods. At the distances mentioned, the country shows a few slight ridges scarcely perceptible, except when the Namoi is out; here the country again falls, leading into a succession of deep permanent waterholes, which run parallel to the river, and render the run independent of the waters on the frontage; extending back through a long stretch of myalls and plain, the country changes to what is called a box forest, extending for some distance on the western portion of the run, but which in no part can be fairly considered more than very lightly timbered; passing through this belt of shade the country then breaks into those richly grassed plains abounding in every description of herbage for which Galathera has been famous from its first occupation. The rest of the run may be described as one vast plain, broken into separate portions by clumps of myall and individual trees that give shade to stock, and act as landmarks to the journeying traveller. On its eastern side, and about ten miles from its southern boundary, lies the so-called Galathera scrub, through which run the Tarlee and Galathera Creeks, forming a junction a short distance below the Galathera Inn, and from whence it proceeds north-westerly, and traverses the run to its extreme northern boundary. Some miles below the inn is the noted Galathera dam, a solid, well-constructed embankment, which throws the water back for miles, conserving in the most protracted drought an enormous sheet of water for the use of the cattle in the breeding paddock, an enclosure not less than eighteen miles long by about eleven miles on its southern end, and six at its narrowest part. This paddock is also watered by the Gravelly River Dam, Long Point Lagoon, the lagoons parallel to the river, of which mention has before been made, and other waters. The bullock, or fattening paddock, is also abundantly watered by the river frontage, the lagoons previously referred to, and a magnificent well sunk in the box forest, with whim, tanks, self-emptying buckets, and great extent of troughing. The northern, or weaning paddock, the smallest of the three, is also well watered by a large lagoon on Ten Mile Creek, at its intersection with Boggy Creek, as well as by a substanial dam. The fencing which encloses the whole of the run, and subdivides it into three, is of the best description, and may be stated to consist of

14 miles of post and 3 wires		
27 " " 4 "		
11 " " 7 "		
10 " " 3 "	with top rail	
3 " 2 posts 3 "		
8 " log and chock		

in all about 73 miles of as strong fencing as is to be found in any pastoral district of the colony.

The improvements at the Head Station comprise two dwelling-houses attached by a covered way; large garden, kitchen, and outbuildings, store, office, men's huts, coach-house, and numerous other buildings; large and strong drafting yards, with all conveniences for branding and speying; horse and milking yards, and two large substantially fenced horse paddocks. The cluster of homestead buildings lies on the margin of a fine sheet of water, which adds much to the beauty of its appearance. At the three principal outstations there are—at Galathera, stockman's residence, drafting yards capable of working 2000 head of cattle, and other yards; the Galathera Inn and store, a commodious building, now let to Mr. Ashmore at £50 per annum, with small paddock adjoining. At Querebri, a stockman's residence and yards; and at Gundemaine North, a residence for stockman, with good yards.

The Gundemaine herd of cattle is of such known high quality, that it requires but little comment. Dating from last muster, at the latter end of 1872, it now numbers about 10,000 head, including the brandings up to the 30th of September last, in addition to which it is expected that, prior to the proposed delivery of the property early in January next, there will have to be added about 500 calves, all bearing the LL brand. The specification of the herd is as follows, viz.:—

Males	4431
Females	6111
Bulls	47
	10,589

The bulls are of high class, and are principally from Warrah, bred by the Australian Agricultural Company, Dr. Jenkins, of the noted Nepean Towers stud herd, and Diamond from Messrs. Fanning, Griffiths, and Co.'s station on the Richmond River. In making delivery of the cattle, it is proposed that brandings shall continue till the 5th January, the date fixed for arrival of purchaser to take delivery, and that all branded beasts, young and old, counted through the yards shall rank as cattle; but, to meet the case of calves under six months old, an allowance of 8 per cent. shall be deducted from the total number counted, and shall be struck off the purchase, and given to the buyer free of charge; a close examination of the muster book and monthly brandings will prove that the percentage has been arrived at with a due regard to equity between seller and buyer, while at the same time it entirely does away with those disputes which not unfrequently occur in the delivery of cattle properties as to the age of calves, whether to count or not. The horse stock is of very superior description, and includes about ninety well trained stock and harness horses and about thirty unbroken. All these may be taken at £6 per head, or may be valued by arbitration should the purchaser desire it. Stores shall be taken at invoice cost with carriage added, and the working plant by valuation in the usual way.

The purchased land on Gundemaine amounts to 820 acres, 320 of which belong to the Galathera Inn and property, and the remainder is dotted about in small areas, many being acquired by Volunteer Land Orders, and so disposed as each to command great tracts of country, and such eligible sites as might tempt the free selector to locate. In addition application has been made for 3000 acres in various parcels, to be surveyed and brought to auction, but upon which only the survey fee has yet been paid. The purchased land mentioned will be included in the purchase at cost price.

The boundary fence between Gundemaine and Edgeroi shall be taken as the proper boundary of the run, notwithstanding that that fence does not exactly agree with the description in the Government books.

Government rent, £340.

LOT 3.—EDGEROI.

Any attempt to describe this run, by the pen, must fall so far short of its merits for picturesque beauty of scenery and wealth of grass, that its feature characteristics ought to be left to the pencil of an artist, who, taking his stand on the Haystack Mountain, could from thence alone do justice to its many beauties that spread, map-like, from his feet, and touch the glorious mountain range which encircles its eastern boundary resting within its limits, and the many corners of the distant horizon. Our business, however, does not reach to pourtraying the beauties of nature surrounding, yet forming part of a station for sale by auction, but are limited to the dry details that, from a commercial point of view, add interest to the investment, and to which we shall now direct our description.

"Edgeroi" adjoins the noted Gundemaine Run, and is separated therefrom by a well constructed post and wire fence on the Galathera Plain, forming the boundary between the two properties. Starting from the head station, of which full particulars will follow, and proceeding to the north, the country presents a level plain, broken here and there by belts of myall, and stretches to the rolling downs of basaltic formation, which almost climb the Haystack Mountain and its neighbours to the top, and form the nearly undefined though well-known line marking the boundary between Edgeroi and the nearly as famous station Gourley, now the property of J. D. Macansh, Esq. The whole of the Edgeroi country is myall, and is clothed with the richest pasture of blue and barley grasses, with an underlying carpet of stunted saltbush, carrots, and every known salacious herb (including the sensitive plant) known for their nutritive qualities for fattening purposes. Leaving the high downs to the right, and proceeding westward, plain after plain, and rolling down rich in pasture, follow in succession, until a piece of poor country would act as a relief to the overtaxed eye; occasionally are met open box forest lands, and now and again a few strips and clumps of oak, while pine and ironbark are to be found at the base of the range of mountains that shut in the run on its eastern and part of its southern boundary. As a general whole, the country is essentially open myall, and its grasses and herbage are equal, if not unsurpassed, by any run within the limits of the most famous districts of New South Wales. Its area is shown by partial survey to be 168,000 acres, but this is believed by those who know it well to be far within the acreage included in its boundaries. Its carrying capabilities for fattening stock have never been fully tested, and at the present time there are upwards of 75,000 sheep on it, all in prime condition, whilst miles upon miles of country lie undisturbed by the presence of sheep or other stock. Accommodation for 108,000 sheep, with ample water, is already prepared, and the cry of the manager in charge, is still "more wethers," many parts of the run being more than equal to depasture and fatten a sheep to the acre. The water supply, artificial and natural, is equal to the demand, and might be increased AD LIBITUM by additional wells, nearly the whole country being underlaid by streams from the adjacent high mountains, that yield their fluid treasures at from twenty-four to thirty feet from the surface. There are several permanently watered creeks, ten reservoirs and dams, constructed on the principle we have previously spoken of, and others are in course of excavation. There are also five large well-timbered wells, with whims, self-emptying buckets, tanks, and troughs, all in perfect order, and six smaller wells sunk for use of shepherds at outstations. The waters, natural and artificial, are soft and free from that brackish taste which distinguishes wells sunk on salt bush country in the more western parts of the colony. In proof of the excellence of country it may be here stated that during the last four years, Edgeroi has, from limited flocks, much less on the average than its present numbers, turned off 30,000 fat sheep per annum, or in all 120,000 fit for the butcher's knife. The improvements at the Head Station are of a very extensive character; amongst them may be enumerated a commodious cottage, for the manager, with large kitchen and out-offices; overseer's cottage and kitchen, large store, with office attached—these latter buildings are all roofed with galvanized iron; two large cottages (shingled) for men, huts, &c., splendid well with whim and apparatus complete; flower and vegetable gardens, orchard well stocked with fruit-trees, vineyard trellissed, and cultivation paddock, two large hay sheds, large paddock for horses and cattle (of about 2500 acres) with sheep-proof fence, and a smaller paddock enclosed by posts, two rails, and wired, of about 130 acres; drafting yards, capable of holding and working 15,000 sheep, all the working parts of which are under cover, with many other conveniences, too numerous to particularise, necessary for working a large establishment with comfort and economy. Nearly the whole of the above improvements are new and of a most permanent description.

At Moema, about three miles from the head station, is the woolshed, a substantial conveniently arranged building; also store with three rooms attached—both these buildings are roofed with galvanized iron. The shearers' barracks, sixty feet long, is shingled, with a detached cooking galley; two good huts for men, a large reservoir, and dam which contains a splendid sheet of water permanently. The buildings at Moema are equal to any improvements belonging to the noted stations surrounding Edgeroi.

Amongst the improvements at the out-stations may be mentioned the following, viz.:—

At Myall Hollow, a magnificent tract of country, there is a well, whim, tank, and belongings complete.

At Worley's and Jones's selections (145 acres), overseer's cottage, two huts, well, yards, &c.

At Tanbillah, three miles away from Myall Hollow (in 320 acres improved land), is a large well, whim, tanks, troughs, &c.

At Tea Trees, two wells, tanks, and troughs, all new; cottage and hut (both shingled), and yards.

At Curra Mangha, well tank, yards, &c., and on two other selections are new sheep stations and well, and the necessary improvements are in progress on the remainder. The shepherds' huts throughout the run might fairly be described as shingled cottages, and lend a feature to the landscape; and the wells, with whims and apparatus, yield an inexhaustible supply, and are each equal to water 10,000 sheep or more throughout the most trying summer.

The stock for sale with Edgeroi is as understated, viz.:—

SHEEP.

Ewes	..	25,700 from 3 years up
Wethers	..	44,300 from 2 years up, principally 3 to 5
Making in all	..	70,000 sheep, chiefly fattening.

CATTLE.

About 100 head, more or less, principally milkers, heifers, and milkers' calves. These are all paddocked and very quiet. In the purchase money they will reckon at the rate of £4 per head.

The Stores, of which there are now about a six months' supply, estimated value £1500, will rank in the purchase at cost price and carriage added.

WORKING PLANT.

This is estimated at £2000, and includes sixty-five working horses, three drays and thirty working bullocks, one horse-team, boring apparatus, tools, and every requisite for carrying on a large establishment calculated to work 100,000 sheep.

LAND.

The purchased land, including 2585 acres, selected on station account and improved, amounts to 3627 acres, which will be reckoned in the purchase money at £1 per acre. Most of the improvements are erected on the above, and the selections, which are dotted over the run in small areas, have been taken up mainly with a view to the command of country.

Government rent for the whole run, £240.

The boundary adjoining Gundemaine must be accepted as that shown by the Gundemaine fence.

LOT IV.—NOWLEY.

This choice, though comparatively small tract of country, includes within its boundaries about 56,000 to 60,000 acres of the richest fattening ground in the district of Liverpool Plains, in addition to which area the vendor's right to about 10,000 acres of land lying on its eastern boundary now under negotiation of purchase, will probably be added.

Nowley is twenty-five miles from Weelbon, and about 160 from the railway terminus at Murrurundi, and is formed by the three blocks, Nowley East and West, and Long Point East; also part of Yarraban, now being negotiated for as above-mentioned. The general character of the country is myall, with patches of very open box or Coolabar forest, and not an acre of scrub on any part of the run. From first to last the run is thickly covered with blue and barley grasses, saltbush in profusion, cotton bush, and every known variety of fattening herbage. Not a single acre is unavailable, all through being of the most valued class of pasturage suitable for either sheep or cattle. Unfenced it is quite equal to carry, under the old system of shepherding, 30,000 sheep, or 5000 head of cattle; but enclosed and subdivided, its carrying capability would be equal to a sheep per acre, or a proportionate number of horned stock.

Nowley is watered by the Burren Creek, and six reservoirs and dams, four of which contain a permanent supply. There is also a large well, fitted with new whim, tank, troughs, &c., and a reservoir and dam at the head station.

IMPROVEMENTS.

At head station, superintendent's cottage (new), with detached kitchen, store, men's hut (new), two other huts, shed, and garden enclosed with paling fence, drafting yards, and horse paddock of about 150 acres. At outstations there is accommodation for 25,000 sheep, with several new huts and yards.

FENCING.

About the middle of the run is a first-class paddock of about 10,000 acres, enclosed by a splendid cattle and sheep-proof fence (seven wires), capable of fattening 10,000 sheep; and on part of the boundary there are ten miles of cattle and sheep-proof fencing completed, and arrangements have been entered into for the erection of twelve miles more. All the neighbours, except the occupier of a few miles on the western boundary, have agreed to share expenses in fencing, so that at an inconsiderable expense Nowley might be enclosed within its own boundaries. The principal neighbours are the well-known squatters, Messrs T. Cook, Glass and Corrigan, Dangar Brothers, Loder, and Captain Mosely (now Messrs. Moseley Brothers.)

There is neither purchased or selected land on this station.

The sheep to be sold with Nowley number
20,000 head, more or less,
principally wethers, all full grown for fattening purposes.

CATTLE.—These comprise a few milkers, which will be estimated in the purchase money at £4 per head.

STORES AND WORKING PLANT.—The rough estimate of value of these is £500, and will have to be taken by valuation in the usual manner.

Government rent for the three blocks, £125 per annum; and Yarraban, when obtained, £22 10s. per annum.

LOT 5.—MUNGYER.

GWYDIR DISTRICT.

This magnificent property comprises the ten contiguous blocks or runs called Mungyer, Doorabeeba, Garotha East, Garotha West, Deeriman North, Deeriman, Pially, South Werritt, Burrilda, and Doorabeeba East, and has a frontage to both sides of the Moulamin Creek of about thirty-two miles; its width is about an average of twelve miles. In area it is given by the Surveyor-General's Department to include 207,832 acres, but as a matter of fact it rather exceeds that measurement. The head station is 46 miles from Moree, 70 from Narrabri, and about 170 from the Murrurundi Railway Station.

The country is one vast level tract of myall with lightly timbered patches of rosewood and box; from the time of entering it on the Bunna Bunna side, after passing a small belt of open scrub lying against the Moulamin Creek, the eye in vain seeks an elevation, a ridge, or gentle rise, and yet scattered all over the run are what are termed hard ridges, nearly imperceptible to the traveller, but unmistakable when the waters are out. Here in time of flood the cattle find splendid pasturage, while the surrounding country is being irrigated by the surplus waters falling on the New England mountains, which coming down the Mehi, spread themselves over the lands of Mungyer and ensure its nearly perpetual greenness.

In a country where every other mile resembles the last, where myall is perpetual, where blue grass merges into barley and oats, topping the horses knees; where salt-bush, carrots, crows-feet, thistles, and all sorts of saline herbage jostle each other to claim the sole right of undergrowth; where plain succeeds to myall and myall to plain, only disturbed by the slight belts of box or coolabar which fringe the many watercourses traversing the run, it is impossible, and certainly unnecessary, to write any lengthy comments. In fact, the whole of Mungyer and its attendant blocks may be described by saying that nature has done for the country that which an army of agriculturists, sowing barley and oats broadcast, could but feebly imitate. Nor is the water-supply deficient: on the north-west, bordering the South Werritt block, runs the Mehi River, while all through the northern part of the run the Marlowar Creek, and its tributaries, take their way; and on its southern portion the Moulamin, and its branch the Wolongimba, run for a distance of thirty-two miles. In addition to these numerous natural water-courses science and capital have further added to the permanent supply: First, the noted Mungyer lagoon, with dam—this is a wide and deep body of water shaded by box and some oak, and extends for upwards of three miles, being nowhere crossable along its entire length, except by swimming; it waters the lower portion of the Mungyer paddock as well as part of the Garotha country, and is estimated to contain a three years' supply for the whole herd. About three miles above the homestead is the noted Wolongimba dam, erected at a cost of £600, being about a quarter of a mile long, securely logged at the wings and enclosed by fences. It has stood the highest floods known, notably that of June last, and at present has a stretch of water about five miles long, equal to two years' supply, without another shower. On the Moulamin is the Mungi dam, which cost in erecting £300, and contains an ample supply for two years. On the Cookabunna Creek is a dam which cost over £200, besides three other smaller dams on different parts of the run, which have successfully withstood the floods for years. An additional dam is now in course of construction on the Marlowar Creek, containing 3000 yards of excavation already placed, and requiring 2000 yards or about £160 to complete it; when finished it will throw back an immense body of water and provide a never-failing supply. Mungyer, by and its contiguity to the Mehi, may be fairly said to be independent of local rains so long as the New England mountains receive their accustomed supply, their waters seeking outlet to the Barwon, flood the Mehi, which then gives off its surplus to replenish the Marlowar, Moulamin, and tributaries, and, spreading out, irrigates the whole run, as is apparent by the plethora of grass and herbs which cover it. From the natural watercourses and judicious erection of dams, every acre is available, making the country quite equal to 20,000 head of cattle.

IMPROVEMENTS.

The head station stands on the margin of a lagoon, fed by a made race, some miles long, from the Marlowar Creek. It comprises a comfortable residence of seven rooms, with shingled and galvanized roof, and garden in front and first-class well, kitchen and four good huts for stockmen; and there is also a blacksmith's shop and many other outbuildings. The stockyard is nearly new and is equal to work 5000 head of cattle. At Werritt there is also a four-roomed house and a substantial herding paddock.

FENCING.

Dividing Mungyer from Derra is a three-wire fence, about ten miles long, the western portion of the same boundary being also enclosed by part of the home paddock fencing—an enclosure of unequalled pasture about seven miles square, surrounded by posts and two rails. Adjoining this is the weaning paddock, about two and a-half miles square, of posts and three rails, and attached to it is the horse paddock of 640 acres, posts and two rails. There is also a small paddock for cultivation. The western boundary of Werritt is also closed by a sheep-proof fence of six wires, for five miles, and a two-wire cattle fence nearly seven miles long, is now being erected on the Mehi or north-western boundary of same block, to divide it from Bunandoon. The expense of this latter is arranged to be divided between the two properties.

CATTLE.

The herd, which has not been mustered since 1870, is estimated to number

9000 HEAD OF CATTLE,

well-bred and quiet; it is supplied with bulls from the Australian Agricultural Society, Messrs. C. and O. Baldwin, and others bred from the well-remembered Pirate (imported).

This herd will be mustered and delivered, all branded to count, with an allowance of 8 per cent. off the total number, in like manner with the equitable principle laid down for delivery of the Gunemaine cattle.

The noted "hat" brand, now so well known in the Sydney market, will be made over to the purchaser on completion of delivery; upwards of 500 are now ready for market, and for which £8 per head, delivered on the station, has been recently refused.

STORES.

The supplies now on the way (about £400 worth), equal to twelve months' consumption, will have to be taken at invoice cost, and carriage added.

HORSES, &c.

The horse stock numbers about 200 head, amongst which are ninety head of well-tutored stock horses, both for journeys and drafting; these will reckon in the purchase money at £5 per head.

PURCHASED LAND.

The total area, purchased in twelve blocks, is 920 acres, and will be reckoned in the purchase at £1 per acre; there are no selections by others, or on station account, the above twelve blocks, aided by the water reserves, practically securing the station.

Government rent, £347 for the whole property.

QUEENSLAND,
DARLING DOWNS DISTRICT.
LOT 6.

The two stations adjoining each other, known as
DAANDINE and GREENBANK.

The latter is but seven miles from the Railway Terminus at Dalby, and the former about twenty miles; the Head Station at Daandine being situated within a few rods of the coach road leading to Condamine, and the more distant western townships. Daandine, originally one long block of country, lies just outside the settled districts proclaimed by the Queensland Land Law, and is entitled to a twenty-one years' lease, but with the view of bringing it more favourably under the provisions of the Queensland Land Alienation Act, application was made some time since to have the run cut into three blocks, which application was assented to, so that the run now stands registered in three contiguous blocks, viz.:—

Daandine
Daandine South
Daandine South, No. 1.

GREENBANK, which adjoins it on its eastern side, is within the settled districts, and consequently one moiety of it has been resumed under the same Act of Parliament; but the unalienated portion of the resumed half is still subject to the present lessee for right of grass.

Together, Greenbank, and the three blocks forming Daandine, include an area of 262 square miles, exclusive of purchased and selected land, to be presently noticed. The country on Daandine is varied in character; on the west of Wilkie's Creek it is undulating, open forest, thickly grassed; while, on the other side, running up the Condamine, the country becomes more open, breaking into plains, all thickly grassed with the most nutritious and fattening pasturage and occasional groves of the weeping myall.

Daandine is watered from end to end by Wilkie's Creek, admitted by all to be the best watered creek in the whole of the Darling Downs, and little inferior, if at all, to the Condamine River, part of which river forms the eastern boundary of Greenbank.

IMPROVEMENTS.

At Daandine, the head station buildings comprise a dwelling-house of seven rooms, kitchen of four rooms (new), oven, store, and three huts for men, large stockyard, equal to work 5000 head, horse and milking yards, stable, and garden enclosed by paling fence, well stocked with fruit trees.

At Greenbank there is a capital house of nine rooms, kitchen of four rooms, three huts, stable, stockyard, horse and milking yards. Adjoining the house is a good flower and fruit garden, with vineyard, securely enclosed by a substantial fence.

FENCING.

On Daandine there are five large paddocks of the following areas, viz., 200, 400, 160, 1280, and 1280 acres each respectively, all well bounded by post and rail fences, and the sub-dividing lines by strong wire fences.

The Daandine block, outside the purchased land, which will be referred to in its place, is enclosed by a post-and-rail fence, and contains a herding yard. Daandine South is also enclosed by post, rail, wire, and paling fence, and has two large herding yards and three huts within its boundaries. Daandine South No. 1 is also enclosed, except about ten miles on the south-western boundary. At this run, on the noted Duck Ponds, is an out-station, cottage of five rooms, with kitchen, stable, stockyard for speying, branding, and milking; a small horse paddock, and a paddock for cattle enclosed by log fences, and including an area of about twenty-five square miles. On other parts of the run, outside the fences, are two more herding yards and two huts.

Greenbank is also fenced, being divided into two paddocks, enclosed by new, substantial, sheep-proof post and rails, also by paling fences on its western boundary.

All the above-mentioned fencing has been erected by the present proprietor, who has spared no expense to make Daandine one of the most complete breeding and fattening runs for cattle in the famous Darling Downs District.

The herd belonging to this property numbers

5500 HEAD, MORE OR LESS,

all quiet and of good quality, the younger stock being of first-class description, the herd having been served by about sixty high class bulls, from the well-known breeders, M'Connell, of Cressbrook, Brisbane River, O. Baldwin, of the Namoi, and Irving, of Casino, Richmond River, which latter named gentleman owns one of the best stud herds in the colony. "Prince Leopold," an imported bull, also has his place amongst the masters of the herd.

About eighteen months since 300 heifers from the noted Gundemaine herd were placed on Daandine, and have since yielded choice progeny.

WORKING PLANT.

This includes a large number of stock horses, well up to their work; drays, horse-teams, saddlery, harness, &c., all of which, roughly estimated at £1000 in value, will have to be taken by the purchaser by valuation, to be arrived at by arbitration in the usual way.

STORES.

These are in limited supply, a replenishment from Dalby being available within a few hours. The stock in hand will reckon in the purchase money at cost price.

PURCHASED LAND.

5120 acres on Daandine have been obtained, and on Greenbank a similar quantity, as well as 1600 acres of conditional purchase. These lands will be included in the contract at cost price, subject also, so far as concerns those at Greenbank, to such further yearly payments still outstanding before their fee-simple be established.

Government rent for both stations, £315 14s 2d.

LOT 7.—KOOROON.

DISTRICT OF MARANOA.

This is a capital tract of country for breeding cattle. It is situated about 150 miles from the railway at Dalby, and is composed of the following ten blocks or runs, viz.:—Ashby, East Teelbar, West Teelbar, Lower Teelbar, West Teelbar No. 2, Bedhill Bedhill, North Alton, Moonbah, Ula Ula, and Brigalow Scrubs. All these blocks are contiguous, forming an area in the whole of about 300 square miles.

The country is described as sound forest, opening in many parts into small plains abundantly grassed and permanently watered in any season, the leading creeks and tributaries being distributed over all parts of the run. The timber is different on the many parts of the run, and according to locality, is box, ironbark, brigalow, sandalwood, and myall. The waters of the Moonie run through the country from east to west, while the Teelbar Creek traverses from north to south. Many tributaries fall into these creeks, which, in addition to large lagoons on the western side of the run, afford an inexhaustible supply for more cattle than the country could carry, now estimated as equal to 10,000 head.

IMPROVEMENTS.

The homestead comprises a dwelling-house of five rooms, kitchen, store, and garden, large and good stockyard, and hut. On different parts of the run are four log herding paddocks and huts, and the whole of the Lower Teelbar run is securely enclosed by a log fence, making a paddock of about 18,000 acres.

STORES, &c.

The supplies are equal to about three months' consumption. These, with the horse stock, numbering twelve stock and two harness horses, dray, and bullock-team complete, and other belongings, will have to be taken by valuation by arbitration. The rough estimate of their value is £700.

Government rent, £337 17s.

CATTLE.

With this station will be sold
1500 HEAD OF CATTLE, more or less,
a small herd of quiet, average quality, well supplied by first-rate bulls.

Having now described the several properties for sale, we proceed to place before intending purchasers full information concerning the BOUNDARIES of the respective runs, and the vendor's TITLE to the whole of the stations, as well as some particulars of the CONDITIONS OF SALE under which the said properties will be sold, also TERMS OF SALE.

BOUNDARIES.

This subject is generally a fruitful source of distrust to buyers purchasing by auction, but in the present instance we have the pleasure to furnish the following certificate from Mr. A. O. Pretious, chief officer in charge of the Occupation of Lands Department, entirely setting at rest the whole question concerning the above runs, situated in this colony, viz.:—

LIVERPOOL PLAINS.	Acres.
Burburgate.	
Burburgate North	64,000
Boggibri	42,000
Bull	28,000
Dripping Rock	32,000
Burburgate South	27,000
Bondatalla	22,000
Collygrath	50,000
Cowmore	17,000
	282,000
Edgeroi.	
Galathera	140,000
Ditto North	28,000
	168,000
Gundemaine.	
Gundemaine	77,000
Ditto North	70,000
Wee Waa North	20,000
	167,000
Nowley.	
Nowley East	16,000
Ditto West	14,000
Long Point East	26,000
	56,000
GWYDIR. **Mungyer.**	
Burrilda	28,000
Derriman	6,800
Ditto North	4,000
Doorobeba	16,000
Ditto East	5,500
Garrotha	16,500
Ditto West	15,000
Mungyer	80,000
Pialy	16,000
South Werrit	20,000
	207,800
Acres	880,800

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"Occupation of Lands,
"Sydney, 14th Oct., 1873.
"Gentlemen,—In reply to your letter of 8th instant, I have the honour to inform you that the boundaries of the runs named in the margin, held by Messrs. E. Vickery and R. Hall, have been definitely determined, and for the most part surveyed, and that revised descriptions thereof have been prepared, under which formal leases can be issued when desired.

"The accompanying tracing has been prepared under supervision in the office, and illustrates the boundaries at present definitely described: in some cases, as noted therein, such boundaries are shown approximately only, the position of marked trees and features described not having been accurately determined by survey, but the boundaries as described by those marked trees and features being undisputed.

"The measured portions and reserves on the run in question, which are shown on the maps of the Surveyor-General's Office, have been charted therefrom on the tracing.—I have the honour to be, gentlemen, your obedient servant,
(Signed) "A. O. PRETIOUS, officer in charge.
"Messrs. Richardson and Wrench, Pitt-street."

The runs in Queensland are equally free from dispute. We take this opportunity of thanking Mr. Pretious and Mr. Du Faur, for the great trouble, in and out of office hours, they have always taken to supply us with information, and to the latter gentleman in lending his able assistance towards the settlement of the several differences which have led to the issue of the certificate above copied.

TITLE.

It may not be out of place to mention that the stations Burburgate, Gundemaine, and Edgeroi, first came into Mr. Vickery's possession under mortgage, and that at a subsequent period, at a time of great depression in pastoral affairs, he wishing to be quit of them, or alone in their management, failing the former, purchased the equity of redemption in the mortgage from their then owner,—and the deed conveying the said equity, whereby Mr. Vickery became absolute owner of the properties, as direct lessee from the Crown, may be inspected at the office of Messrs. Allen, Bowden, and Allen, solicitors, Elizabeth-street, to whom reference is hereby made, and who will be able to satisfy intending purchasers on the

subject, as well as concerning the title to all the other properties included in this sale.

CONTRACT OF SALE.

The contract under which these properties will be sold will be that of our ordinary printed form of conditions of sale, now in use without question for many years; and the only special clauses to be added to it will be those referring to the prices at which the purchased land, cattle, horses, stores, machinery, and other belongings, will have to be taken by the respective purchasers of the several lots. A copy of the contract may be inspected at our Rooms.

TERMS.

One-half cash, payable by a deposit of one-fourth thereof at the time of sale, and a further three-fourths on the delivery order for the stations and stock being handed to their respective purchasers, and the other half of each purchase-money may be paid by promissory notes, in equal amounts, at one, two, three, and four years' date (or a lesser period), having interest added thereto at the rate of 7 per centum per annum, to be secured upon the respective properties, station, stock, purchased land, and premises, by mortgages to be prepared and approved of by the vendor's solicitors.

At the time of purchase an estimate will be made of the amount of each purchase money, which sum shall form the basis for the cash payments and promissory-notes, and upon final delivery of the station or stations and the exact amount of purchase money being ascertained, then any under or over payment shall be adjusted in cash, as the case may require.

In bringing the above described properties into the market, it is with an honest desire by the proprietor to realise them to the best advantage, after duly making known his determination to retire from squatting pursuits. Mr. Vickery finds that the conduct of those far-off properties, admirably managed as they are by their respective superintendents, entail more labour on him than, added to his other extensive business operations, he now feels able to perform without sacrifice of health. Mr. Vickery also purposes visiting Europe early in the ensuing year, and to enable him to accomplish this long desired object, he feels compelled to bring his affairs into a far narrower compass than they now occupy, and hence his resolve to realise his stations under the hammer. Capitalists are invited to inspect them, for which purpose every assistance will be afforded on the stations by the respective gentlemen in charge.

Plans on view at the Rooms, where lithographs may also be obtained.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH,
Auctioneers,
Pitt-street, Sydney.

MACHINERY, MINING PLANT, &c.,
OF THE OPHIR QUARTZ MINING COMPANY.

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE,

The whole of the MINING PLANT in connection with this Company's property, situated at Lewis Ponds, Ophir, amongst which are

1 Clayton, Shuttleworth, and Co.'s 16-horse power Portable Engine, with Battery for 15 stampers, to which but 10 are now fitted.

1 large 7-inch Lift Pump—well-constructed Dam—together with every requisite for the successful working of quartz-crushing machinery. Particulars may be inspected at the Rooms of the Auctioneers.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th November, at 11 o'clock,

The above machinery, in good working order.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE ESTATE OF THE LATE Mrs. ROSETTA TERRY.

SURRY HILLS.

TWO-STORY STONE HOUSE, Little ELIZABETH-STREET, off COOPER-STREET, near RILEY-STREET, occupied by Mr. PATRICK HANLEY.

It contains verandah and balcony, 5 rooms and kitchen, with large yard, water laid on, &c., and the land has 15 FEET frontage to LITTLE ELIZABETH-STREET, with a depth of 75 FEET.

TITLE UNQUESTIONABLE. Particulars may be obtained on application to Messrs. ELLIS and MAKINSON, Solicitors, Elizabeth-street.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the TRUSTEES of the ESTATE of the late Mrs. ROSETTA TERRY to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th November, at 11 o'clock,

The above described property.

Terms at sale.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

By order of the Executors of the will of the late Mrs. ESTHER HUGHES.

ALBION ESTATE,
ELIZABETH-STREET SOUTH,
BELMORE PARK,
CITY OF SYDNEY.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on an early date, due notice of which will be given,

The above valuable extensive city estate, comprising about

EIGHTEEN ACRES FREEHOLD LAND,

is now being surveyed and judiciously subdivided into building allotments, fronting

ELIZABETH-STREET SOUTH
(opposite Belmore Park),
ALBION-STREET,
FOVEAUX-STREET,
KIPPAX-STREET,
MACQUARIE-STREET SOUTH,

and a continuance of other leading thoroughfares in this populous and improving portion of the city. Further particulars in a future advertisement.

LITHOGRAPHIC PLANS of the subdivision are also in preparation for distribution, and each allotment will be pegged or otherwise marked on the land, to facilitate identification by intending purchasers.

TERMS, LIBERAL.

FRIDAY, 28th November.

At the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney.

MOUNT BROUGHTON ESTATE,
SUTTON FOREST.

Comprising upwards of 4000 ACRES of the RICHEST CULTIVATION OR FATTENING GRAZING LAND in this celebrated district, adjoining THROSBY PARK ESTATE, COLYERSLEIGH, and the NOTED PADDOCKS of HENRY BADGERY, Esq., part of the VINE LODGE ESTATE.

Mount Broughton extends from within half a mile of the SUTTON FOREST RAILWAY STATION to near the VILLAGE of SUTTON FOREST. It has been subdivided into SEVEN FARMS, containing each an area of from 400 to 1000 ACRES, on one of which is the Homestead, a COTTAGE RESIDENCE, occupied by the tenant of the Estate, J. WHITEHEAD, Esq., whose lease expires next year.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from O. S. Throsby, Esq., to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on FRIDAY, 28th November, at 11 o'clock,

MOUNT BROUGHTON ESTATE,
SUTTON FOREST.

subdivided into the following lots:—

LOT 1.—870 ACRES, bounded by the Railway and the properties of Messrs. Badgery, Wilmott, and Long. On this farm is the homestead, a cottage residence, with stable and other out-offices, orchard, &c.

LOT 2.—555 ACRES, on the Government Road, leading to Moss Vale and the Railway Station.

LOT 3.—425 ACRES, on the same road, adjoining Gorse's 100 acres.

LOTS 4 and 5.—513 ACRES and 408 ACRES respectively, adjoining Colyersleigh, the estate of R. Throsby, Esq.

LOT 6.—465 ACRES, adjoining the properties of Messrs. F. and E. H. Badgery.

LOT 7.—1000 ACRES, adjoining Throsby Park.

This well-known estate is situated in about the centre of that celebrated tract of valuable country extending from Bong Bong to the Cross Road, a spacious basin of volcanic origin, forming a series of rich alluvial flats, interspersed with whin-stone hills, all of the most fattening character for stock, and well adapted for general agricultural purposes.

A favourable feature of this district is its fine elevated position (over 2000 feet above the sea level), which secures a delightfully cool bracing atmosphere redolent of health and renewing vigour—a climate in which English fruits, forest trees, flowers, and cereals, are produced in luxuriant profusion. To the artistic eye the locality is not without considerable attraction: the views from the gentle slopes combine all the most beautiful aspects of English and colonial scenery; fat meadows and alluvial plains dotted with cattle; pretty homesteads perched nest-like on the hills; patches copiously wooded with sheltering timber, through which the sun is seen to brighten the open spaces, mellowing and fading again into shade.

All these advantages Mount Broughton pre-eminently possesses. The whole estate consists of delightfully undulating land (close to railway communication with Sydney and Goulburn markets), cleared or very lightly timbered, rich arable soil, abundantly watered in all seasons, and whether

FOR CULTIVATION or FATTENING PURPOSES, UNEQUALLED IN NEW SOUTH WALES.

Particulars of title can be obtained on application to W. W. Billyard, Esq., solicitor, Hunter-street.

PLAN OF SUBDIVISION may be inspected at the Rooms, Sydney; or at HORAM'S ROYAL HOTEL, SUTTON FOREST.

Terms at sale.

UNSTOCKED RUNS.

By order of the Government of New South Wales.

Day of Sale, MONDAY, 24th November, 1873.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the Hon. J. S. FARNELL, Minister for Lands, to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, 24th November, 1873, at half-past 11 o'clock,

NEW LEASES, for five years, of the undermentioned runs of Crown Lands, upon the terms and conditions prescribed by the Crown Lands Occupation Act of 1861, and the regulations of 28th April, 1865.

*** Full particulars of the boundaries of the several runs may be obtained on application at Messrs. RICHARDSON and WRENCH'S Rooms, or from the GOVERNMENT GAZETTE, No. 225, of Tuesday, 30th September, 1873.

The special attention of intending purchasers is directed to the conditions published in the GOVERNMENT GAZETTE, under which these leases will be submitted.

ALBERT DISTRICT.

No.	Run	Estimated Areas—Acres.	Rent.
1.	Berawinia Downs, No. 1	79,000	£118
2.	Berawinia Downs, No. 2	60,000	91
3.	Berawinia Downs, No. 3	40,000	63
4.	Berawinia Downs, No. 4	64,000	100
5.	Berawinia Downs, No. 5	64,000	100
6.	Berawinia Downs, No. 6	52,000	82
7.	Berawinia Downs, No. 7	64,000	100
8.	Berawinia Downs, No. 8	64,000	100
9.	Berawinia Downs, No. 9	52,000	82
10.	Berawinia Downs, No. 10	64,000	100
11.	Berawinia Downs, No. 11	64,000	100
12.	Berawinia Downs, No. 12	52,000	82
13.	Berawinia Downs, No. 13	64,000	100
14.	Berawinia Downs, No. 14	64,000	100
15.	Berawinia Downs, No. 15	52,000	82
16.	Blackwood, No. 1	64,000	100
17.	Blackwood, No. 2	64,000	100
18.	Blackwood, No. 3	64,000	100
19.	Blackwood, No. 4	64,000	100
20.	Blackwood, No. 5	64,000	100
21.	Blackwood, No. 6	64,000	100
22.	Blackwood, No. 7	64,000	100
23.	Blackwood, No. 8	64,000	100
24.	Blackwood, No. 10	64,000	100
25.	Blackwood, No. 11	64,000	100
26.	Blackwood, No. 12	45,000	71
27.	Bollwarry	64,000	100
28.	Caryapundy	64,000	100
29.	Cobham	35,000	55
30.	Connulpie	40,000	63
31.	Fort Grey, Block No. 1	64,000	100
32.	Fort Grey, Block No. 2	64,000	100
33.	Fort Grey, Block No. 3	64,000	100
34.	Fort Grey, Block No. 4	64,000	100
35.	Fort Grey, Block No. 5	64,000	100
36.	Fort Grey, Block No. 6	64,000	100
37.	Kandie North	20,000	32
38.	Kayrunnera East	20,000	32
39.	Koorningbirry South	20,000	32
40.	Mount Clifton	56,000	88
41.	Mount Shannon, No. 1	38,000	60
42.	Mount Shannon, No. 2	64,000	100
43.	Mount Wood	64,000	100
44.	Omura, No. 5	64,000	100
45.	Omura, No. 6	64,000	100
46.	Osaca, No. 2	64,000	100
47.	Osaca, No. 6	64,000	100
48.	Pine Hill	14,000	22
49.	Sturt, Block No. 3	64,000	100
50.	Sturt, Block No. 5	64,000	100
51.	Sturt, Block No. 6	64,000	100
52.	Sturt, Block No. 7	64,000	100
53.	Table Tops	19,200	30
54.	Takeiwa, No. 6	60,000	94
55.	Terawinda North	62,000	97
56.	Terawinda Plains, No. 1	62,000	97
57.	Terawinda Plains, No. 2	76,000	120
58.	Tongowoko West	64,000	100
59.	Torrens Creek	50,000	79
60.	Urisino, No. 2	64,000	100
61.	Urisino, No. 6	64,000	100
62.	West Paroo, No. 1	54,000	85
63.	Woodstock	40,000	63
	CLARENCE DISTRICT.		
64.	Tyalgrun	40,000	10
	DARLING DISTRICT.		
65.	Arlington Plains, block A	20,000	32
66.	Buckalow	50,000	15
67.	Buckalow, No. 2	64,000	100
68.	Buckalow, No. 3	64,000	100
69.	Buckalow, No. 4	64,000	100
70.	Buckalow, No. 5	72,000	113
71.	Buckalow, No. 9	74,000	116
72.	East Paringi	62,000	97
73.	Enid	61,440	96
74.	South Porcupine	54,000	85
	LACHLAN DISTRICT.		
75.	Miparo North, block A	38,000	60
76.	Roto North-east	64,000	100
	MONARO DISTRICT.		
77.	Cudgee	50,000	30
78.	Dog Kennel	4,800	10
79.	Narybaba	30,000	47
80.	Yarra	8,640	14
	MURRUMBIDGEE DISTRICT.		
81.	Tom Groggin	19,200	30
82.	Toolong	32,400	51
83.	West Agintoothbong	32,000	50
	WARREGO DISTRICT.		
84.	Back of Back Gumbalt	64,000	15
85.	Mount Grenfell, No. 2	50,000	79
86.	Mulga, No. 1	60,000	94
87.	Mulga, No. 2	70,000	110
88.	Mulga, No. 3	84,000	132
89.	Mulga, No. 4	55,000	86
90.	Mulga, No. 5	64,000	100
91.	Mulga, No. 6	50,000	79

BALMAIN.

BUSINESS PREMISES, known as VICTORIA HOUSE and BELMORE HOUSE, in DARLING-STREET, opposite the CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from R. FLETCHER, Esq., to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,

ALL THAT PIECE of land having 32 FEET frontage to DARLING-STREET, with a depth of 133 FEET extending to a wide lane at the rear, upon which are erected the following business premises:—

VICTORIA HOUSE
and
BELMORE HOUSE,

substantially built of stone, slated roofs, and containing each large SHOP with fittings, 4 rooms, kitchen, and wash-house, with spacious pavement, verandahs, and balconies, fitted with ornamental iron pilasters and railings; large yards, well of good water, &c., at the rear.

The above described property is most centrally situated in the best business part of this populous and rapidly improving suburb, and is within five minutes' walk from the ADOLPHUS-STREET and Dry Dock steamers' wharfs.

The proprietor erected this property regardless of expense as an investment, and is only now disposing of it in consequence of his contemplated departure for England.

It will be offered in one or two lots, to suit purchasers.

Plan at the Rooms. Terms at sale.

WELLINGTON DISTRICT.

For Absolute Sale,
The noted Block of Country, known as
THE ALBERT WATER HOLE,
WITHOUT STOCK.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on TUESDAY, 2nd December next, at 11 o'clock,

The above valuable block of unstocked country.

The well-known Albert Water Hole lies within the boundary of this run, which contains an area of about 16,000 acres of fattening country, equal to carry 2000 cattle or an equivalent number of sheep. It is about 10 miles from the post town of Dandalla, and adjoins Mrs. Martell's property, extending to the Bogan.

Terms at sale.

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTORS OF THE WILL OF THE LATE MR. WILLIAM MOSS.

PARRAMATTA-STREET.

TWO SHOPS and DWELLINGS, Nos. 90 and 92, on the SOUTH SIDE, a few feet east of ABERCROMBIE-STREET, near ST. BENEDICT'S CHURCH.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the Executors of the Estate of the late Mr. WILLIAM MOSS to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th November, at 11 o'clock,

ALL THAT piece of CITY land, having 37 FEET 9 INCHES frontage to the SOUTH SIDE of PARRAMATTA-STREET, with a depth of 77½ FEET, and a width at the rear of 87 FEET, upon which are erected those TWO TWO-STORY BRICK-BUILT BUSINESS PREMISES, on stone foundations, Nos. 90 and 92, containing respectively shop, 5 rooms, kitchen, and laundry, with yard, &c.; and shop, 4 rooms and kitchen, detached stable, hay-loft, shed, large yard, &c., at the rear.

This City Freehold is in the best business part of PARRAMATTA-STREET, and the premises have recently been put in thorough repair both inside and out.

It can be recommended to capitalists and others as a REALLY GOOD PERMANENT CITY INVESTMENT.

Plan on view at the Rooms. Terms at sale.

QUEENSLAND.
LEICHHARDT DISTRICT.

FOR POSITIVE SALE
THE NOTED CATTLE STATION
COWARRAL,

situated about 22 miles north of ROCKHAMPTON, together with its numerous and substantial improvements, and

2600 CATTLE, more or less,
a quiet well-bred herd.

Stores, horses, and other working plant to be taken by valuation by the usual mode of arbitration.

Terms liberal.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on TUESDAY, 2nd December next, at 11 o'clock,

The above well-known pastoral property.

COWARRAL is situated within the settled districts of Queensland, and is divided in accordance with the Alienation Act of that colony, passed in 1868; lying to the north of Rockhampton, its eastern boundary reaches to the coast reserve, giving it additional land and many miles frontage to the sea. The pasturage generally is excellent for cattle, and as a breeding station stands unsurpassed amidst the many first-class properties which lie between the Fitzroy River and the waters of Broadsound, while every acre is available from the waters of the Cowarral and other creeks which run through the property. Its carrying capabilities are much increased by the arrangement of its paddocks, of which the fencing also serves to nearly enclose an additional large area capable of depasturing a very considerable herd. The fencing is of a very substantial character—principally posts, 2 wires, and top rail, erected at great expense. It encloses four large paddocks, containing respectively 3760 acres, 2478 acres, 1600 acres, and 3500 acres—aggregating 11,338 acres of choice country of a very fattening nature.

The improvements, upon which a large outlay has been made, consist of a comfortable weatherboard house, with shingled roof, containing 8 rooms, lined and ceiled with boards, with wide verandahs front and back, good fruit garden in front; slab kitchen of 3 rooms, store and meat-house; also detached weatherboard cottage of 4 rooms, with weatherboard kitchen of 2 rooms attached; four-stall stable of slabs and shingled, with 2 loose boxes; also a long slab building with galvanized-iron roof, stabling and out-offices; 2 men's huts, milking and slaughter yards, horse yard and good stockyard. Upon the Meadow Flats there are hut and yards; and upon other portions of the run, 2 other huts. Nearly all the improvements, including those at Meadow Flats, are erected upon purchased land, of which there are 7260 acres of freehold, and the following pre-emptives subject to the respective yearly payments set opposite them to secure their fee-simple, viz.:—

800 acres, subject to £20 per annum for 6 years
1600 ditto, ditto £55 ditto ditto for 8 years
960 ditto, ditto £24 ditto ditto for 8½ years
1678 ditto, ditto £50 8s. ditto ditto for 8 years.

The herd to be sold on this station numbers

2600 HEAD OF CATTLE, more or less,

very quiet and well bred, the particulars of which can be obtained on application to the auctioneers.

The horses, which are of superior breed, number about 70 head, including some very fine draught animals. The mares have been served by the thoroughbred entire RAINSWORTH—a valuable stallion, whose pedigree and performances are well known in racing circles. This horse may be taken at a fixed sum, or the purchaser of the property may elect to have him removed.

To capitalists occupying cattle stations in the northern and western districts of Queensland the sale of the above valuable property offers a splendid opportunity of securing a first-class home station, admirably adapted for breeding bulls and a superior class of cattle, as well as for forming a depot for fat stock from their more distant runs, apart from obtaining a choice station which may be worked to great profit. Cowarral is so near to Rockhampton that it may be said to have the advantage of having that market at its stockyard gates; and with the Meat Preserving Companies now established there, a reliable price for its produce may always be safely reckoned on. An inspection is invited by intending purchasers, to whom every assistance will be given for thoroughly viewing the run and stock.

Plan on view at the Rooms.

NEWTOWN RAILWAY STATION.

WINDSOR-TERRACE, FIVE TWO-STORY DWELLING-HOUSES on the ENMORE ROAD, at the corner of STATION-STREET, opposite CAMBORNE-TERRACE.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

TITLE UNQUESTIONABLE. Particulars may be obtained on application to Messrs. HOLDSWORTH and BROWN, Solicitors, Pitt-street.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the MORTGAGEE to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st November, at 11 o'clock,

ALL THAT CORNER BLOCK of Land, being Lots 108, 109, 110, 111 of section 5 of the KINGSTON ESTATE, NEWTOWN, having the following frontages—

133 FEET to ENMORE ROAD
82 FEET to STATION-STREET
133 FEET to a LANE.

Upon portion of the frontage to the ENMORE ROAD are erected

WINDSOR-TERRACE,

FIVE TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLINGS on stone foundations, slated roofs, containing each verandah, hall, 5 good rooms, kitchen, servant's room, store-room, and wash-shed, yards, well of good water, &c., at the rear.

A portion of the ENMORE ROAD frontage, at the corner of STATION-STREET, is still vacant, and available for building purposes.

The above property is most favourably situated in the best part of the highly-improved suburb of NEWTOWN, only a few feet from the RAILWAY STATION and OMNIBUS STAND; and it can with confidence be recommended to capitalists and others as a really first-class PERMANENT INVESTMENT.

Plan at the Rooms. Terms at sale.

WITHOUT RESERVE.
To close a Trust Estate.

COOGEE.

BLOCK OF LAND, No. 1 of Section 16a, as per Government Plan of COOGEE, containing 3 ACRES 1 ROOD 10 PERCHES, fronting DUDLEY, PEROUSE, and MELODY STREETS, a few yards South from WHALE-STREET, near COOGEE BAY.

TITLE UNQUESTIONABLE. Particulars may be obtained on application to W. M'GUIRE, ESQ., Solicitor, No. 77, Elizabeth-street.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on

FRIDAY, 14th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock.

The above described land.

Plan at the Rooms. Terms at sale.

STATIONS.

MORT and CO. have for sale by auction, the following PASTORAL PROPERTIES:—

LAKE SALVATOR, and FAIRVIEW—
Leichhardt District, with 9000 Sheep.
For sale on 9th December.

WERANGA, and MALLEELIE—
Darling Downs, with 25,000 Sheep.
For sale on 16th December.

WESTBROOK, Darling Downs, with 75,000 acres Purchased Land, 32,000 acres Leasehold ditto; together with 100,000 Sheep.
For sale on 19th March, 1874.

Extended advertisements appear in Saturday's HERALD, and further particulars can be obtained on application to

MORT and CO.,
Wool Warehouses, Circular Quay.

TO YACHTSMEN, PEARL SHELLERS, TRADERS, and OTHERS.

FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
On TUESDAY, 25th November.

THE FAST SAILING TOPSAIL SCHOONER,
QUICKSTEP.

MORT and CO. will sell by public auction, at the Sale Room of their Wool Warehouses, Phillip-street, Circular Quay, on TUESDAY, 25th November, at half-past 11 o'clock,

THE FAST AND FAVOURITE SCHOONER QUICKSTEP.

56 tons register. Built by Mort's Dock and Engineering Company, October, 1871, of the best materials, copper fastened, &c., &c., is highly classed with the insurance companies, AND READY FOR SEA AT A SHORT NOTICE.

The above vessel is now lying in Woolloomooloo Bay, where inspection is invited. She is admirably adapted for a gentleman's sea-going yacht, and would prove a most serviceable vessel in the New Caledonian pearl shelling, or Queensland labour trades.

Has been engaged in the Island trade, in which she proved herself very fast, an admirable sea boat, and very weatherly. She has been a favourite vessel in the Fiji and Sydney trade, carrying as many as 10 cabin passengers.

Her present owners, for whom she was built without regard to expense, part with her as they have no further use for her.

Inventory may be seen, and further particulars obtained on application to

MORT and CO., Circular Quay.

QUEENSLAND PASTORAL ESTATE.

THE WESTBROOK STATION,
DARLING DOWNS.

WITH 75,000 ACRES PURCHASED LAND,
AND 32,000 ACRES LEASEHOLD.

TOGETHER WITH 100,000 SHEEP.

For Positive and Unreserved Sale by order of the Executors and Trustees of the ESTATES OF JOHN DONALD M'LEAN and WILLIAM BEIT, DECEASED (of the late firm of M'Lean and Beit).

MORT and CO. have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Wool Warehouses, Circular Quay, Sydney, on the 19th day of March, 1874.

The FINEST PASTORAL PROPERTY IN THE AUSTRALIAN COLONIES, known as

WESTBROOK,
Darling Downs.

This property comprises about 75,000 acres of purchased land, and 32,000 acres of leasehold, forming perhaps the finest pastoral and agricultural estate in Australia. It is securely fenced and subdivided into numerous paddocks.

The IMPROVEMENTS are all of the most perfect description, consisting of a substantial and commodious STONE RESIDENCE, with all requisite out-houses garden, &c., a very large WOOLSHED constructed of hardwood and galvanized iron, with accommodation for 30 shearers, excellent sheep-wash, with hot and cold water appliances, and an abundant supply of water.

The GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY of Queensland passes through the estate (96 miles from Ipswich), and there is a RAILWAY STATION WITHIN A MILE of the WOOLSHED.

Together with this property will be sold 100,000 SHEEP, more or less; 400 head of CATTLE, chiefly PURE BRED, full particulars of which will be published hereafter.

It will be optional with the purchaser to take the MEAT PRESERVING ESTABLISHMENT (at present under lease to the Hogarth Australian Meat Preserving Company, limited), which adjoins the station, at a valuation.

THIS MAGNIFICENT PROPERTY being for bona fide sale, to close the partnership and settle the trust accounts, intending purchasers are invited to inspect it as early as possible to form a correct estimate of its value.

Full information may be obtained from Messrs. MORT and CO., Messrs. HENRY BEIT and CO., Sydney; or Mr. THOMAS F. GREGORY, Westbrook.

DISTRICT OF DARLING DOWNS.

WERANGA, with 15,000 Sheep.
MALLEELIE, with 10,000 Sheep.

MORT and CO. will sell by auction, at the Sale Room of their Wool Warehouses, Phillip-street, Circular Quay, on TUESDAY, the 16th December, at half-past 11 o'clock,

The station known as WERANGA, 35 miles from DALBY, consisting of an estimated area of 363 square miles, well watered by the Moonie River and its tributaries.

With the above will be sold about 15,000 sheep.

The improvements on the station are good and ample, consisting of comfortable dwelling-house of eight rooms and large cellar, detached kitchen, large garden, substantial well-built stone store with loft and meat store attached, 6-stall stable, harness room and buggy shed, overseer's cottage, 4-room bachelor's quarters, large hay shed, blacksmith's forge, men's huts, stock-yard, sheep drafting yards, 700 acres horse paddock, cultivation paddock, COMMODIOUS WOOLSHED, with cover for 700 sheep, powerful Screw Press, and large storage room for wool, shearers' huts, &c.; WASHPOOL, with 12-horse power double cylinder portable steam engine, centrifugal pump, with raining yard, soak tank, and spouts complete, with all necessary yards and appliances; also saw bench, circular saws, &c.

MALLEELIE

adjoins Weranga, and consists of an estimated area of 250 square miles, is well watered by the Moonie River, Toombella Creek, and their tributaries, and will be sold with about 10,000 sheep.

The improvements consist of cottage containing 5 rooms and kitchen, men's huts, sheep drafting yards, killing yard, cart shed, horse paddock, and all requisite out-station huts, &c., &c.

Inspection of the above is earnestly solicited, as they will undoubtedly be offered for bona fide unreserved sale.

For further particulars, apply to
MORT and CO.

For Positive Sale.

LAKE SALVATOR AND FAIRVIEW,
DISTRICT OF LEICHHARDT, QUEENSLAND,
with
9000 (more or less) SHEEP.

MORT and CO. have received instructions from the proprietors, Messrs. T. and J. Farmer, to offer by public auction, at the Sale Room of their Wool Warehouses, Phillip-street, Circular Quay, on TUESDAY, the 9th December, at half-past 11 o'clock,

Those first-class SHEEP STATIONS, known as
FAIRVIEW and LAKE SALVATOR.

Together with
3820 ewes, now lambing
1460 ditto, 1½ to 2½ years, maidens
2300 wethers, 3 to 5 years
1500 mixed hoggets
65 rams

9145, more or less, sheep.

The above properties are situate in the Leichhardt district, about 80 miles from Springsure, and adjoin Mantuan Downs.

FAIRVIEW comprises an area of 90 square miles of SPLENDID ROLLING DOWNS country, of the most FATTENING CHARACTER, of which five-sixths are available. It is watered by several creeks, tributaries of Balmy Creek, which latter bounds the entire run on one side, and also by three dams, and a well of good water at the homestead.

The IMPROVEMENTS consist of a house of 5 rooms, kitchen, men's hut, 160-acre horse-paddock, stockyard, and 6 sheep stations.

LAKE SALVATOR comprises 48 square miles, 35 of which are available, and has a frontage of 12 miles to both banks of the Nogoa River. It is permanently watered in the driest seasons, and forms a most valuable adjunct to Fairview as a washing, shearing, and lambing depot, there being in all seasons abundance of grass for lambing, and of running soft water for sheep-washing.

The country consists of small rich plains, good box and gum flats, and open brigalow scrub, with salt bush.

The IMPROVEMENTS include a cottage residence, kitchen, huts, store, woolshed, with lever press, drafting-yards, stockyard, horse paddock, ram paddock, with dog-proof stake fence, and a sheep-proof paddock of 1500 acres. On the run are 9 sheep stations, huts, and yards.

Horses, drays, stores, &c., to be taken at a valuation.

The proprietors are resident on the station, and will be happy to afford every facility for inspection.

MORT and CO.

LIVERPOOL PLAINS AND
BLIGH DISTRICTS.

EUROKA STATION.

Together with
3500 HEAD CATTLE, more or less.
Estimated Area, 140,000 Acres,
about 115,000 acres of which are substantially fenced.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, in conjunction with Powers, Rutherford, and Co., have received instructions from James Holmes, Esq., acting under power of attorney from the proprietors, Messrs. W. W. and E. Brocklehurst, to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Bell's-chambers, Pitt-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, 26th November, 1873, at 12 o'clock,

That well-known and justly celebrated station

EUROKA,

situated on, and having a frontage of TEN MILES to, the BARWIN RIVER, and comprised of the following blocks, viz.:—

EUROKA TOLOORA
GUNINGA SUSSEX
KENT.

It has also the advantage of having abundance of permanent water on the back country, rendering every inch of this truly magnificent station available, and safe in the severest seasons.

The FATTENING QUALITIES of this station are too well known to be referred to here, as it is undeniably one of the best runs in New South Wales.

With the station will be sold

3500 HEAD CATTLE, more or less.

This herd throughout shows the high state of breeding that has been aimed at by the Messrs. Brocklehurst, and includes 100 head pure-bred cattle of the favourite Lee blood. There is also a large draft of fat cattle now ready for market, none having been removed since April last.

The IMPROVEMENTS consist of a comfortable homestead, commodious and substantial drafting-yards, paddocks for the stock horses, paddocks for the pure-bred cattle.

The Fencing is chiefly 2-rail, and wire with cap—all in excellent order.

The RIGHT OF BRAND to the cattle will be given in. Stock horses, stores, and sundries to be taken at a valuation.

The wonderful fattening properties of this station, added to its central position, permanent water, and superiority of the breed of the cattle, should be ample, without further remark, to attract the careful attention of purchasers to this exceptionably advantageous investment, as in view of the increasing scarcity of cattle, and corresponding advance in prices of fat stock, coupled with the very inexpensive working of so compact and safe a property as that now offered for sale, point to this as perhaps the most advantageous purchase that has been permitted to come into the market.

The fullest information will be willingly afforded to intending purchasers upon application to HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Sydney; POWERS, RUTHERFORD, and Co., MELBOURNE; and B. M'KENNA, Esq., Euroka, Walgett.

TO CARCASE BUTCHERS AND OTHERS.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have received instructions from the Hon. G. A. Lloyd, Esq., Colonial Treasurer, to sell by public auction, at the Abattoirs, Glebe Island, on WEDNESDAY, 19th November, at 12 o'clock sharp,

The leases for one year (commencing on the first day of January next) of six beef and six mutton slaughter-houses and the manure tank.

Full particulars may be had on application at the office of the Auctioneers.

LEASE OF TOLLGATE, GLEBE ISLAND BRIDGE.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have received instructions from the Hon. G. A. Lloyd, Esq., Colonial Treasurer, to sell by public auction, at the Bridge, Glebe Island, on WEDNESDAY, 19th November, at 12 o'clock,

The lease of the tolls and dues authorised to be received and collected at the Tollgate, Glebe Island Bridge, commencing on the 1st day of January 1874, and terminable on the 31st day of December following.

Full particulars may be had on application at the Office of the Auctioneers.

MARANOA DISTRICT.

Splendid Cattle Station,
Well and permanently watered in driest seasons, together with

700 well-bred Cows and Heifers.

G. F. WANT has been instructed by H. B. Hughes, Esq., Adelaide, to sell by public auction, on TUESDAY, the 16th day December, 1873, at the Pastoral Exchange, 273, George-street, Sydney, at 11 o'clock a.m.,

That excellent cattle-station called

COOGOON,

consisting of six blocks richly-grassed country, comprising an area of 177 square miles, situated in the Maranoa District, 40 miles from Roma, and 40 miles from Surat respectively, and adjoining the famous Mount Abundance Station and Weribone (lately purchased by the Hon. John O'Shanassy from the Messrs. Hall).

With the above station will be sold about 700 head (more or less) well bred picked cows and heifers.

Capabilities of the station, about 7000 head in all seasons.

This station possesses all necessary improvements required for the working of large drafts of cattle, buildings, paddocks, &c. A long term of lease unexpired.

Fullest information on application to

G. F. WANT,
Pastoral Exchange,
273, George-street, Sydney.

IPSWICH, QUEENSLAND.

WEDNESDAY, November 12.

MOST IMPORTANT COAL PROPERTY.
THE BUNDANBA COAL MINE,
situated about two (2) miles from the TOWN OF IPSWICH, QUEENSLAND.

HUGHES and CAMERON have received instructions from the proprietors to sell by public auction, at the Ipswich Land Exchange, Nicholas-street, Ipswich, Queensland, on

WEDNESDAY, the 12th November,
at 11 o'clock,

ALL THAT SPLENDID COAL PROPERTY known as "THE BUNDANBA COAL MINE," situated near the main Redbank Plains Road, about two (2) miles from the town of Ipswich, Queensland.

This most valuable and important property comprises

280 ACRES OF FREEHOLD LAND,

being portions Nos. 270, 286, and 300—all conterminous—parish of Goodna, county of Stanley, Queensland. The mouth of the mine opens in portion 270 above-mentioned, with a N.N.W. aspect, to a straight drive bearing S.S.E. about 5 chains into the heart of the mountain, with a uniform dip of about 2 inches in the yard. The drive is 6 feet high, well stayed, and wooden tramways are laid down the whole of the length. The ground rises abruptly to a height of 150 feet within the distance of a few yards from the mouth of the mine, thus materially adding to its security. There is also a branch level bearing due west at right angles from the main, about 2½ chains in length, following up a

SPLENDID SEAM OF COAL,

6 feet thick; and also another level bearing due east, also at a right angle with the main, and about 5 chains in length, penetrating into portion No. 286, and following up an

EQUALLY FINE SEAM OF COAL,

with drive the same height and size as main level. The coal is of a capital quality, and whilst the mine was open obtained ready sale, it being about the best sample shipped out of Ipswich. The mine is thoroughly dry and free from water, and in this particular affords a pleasing contrast to many other mines of the same nature. The auctioneers also deem it important to state that

ALL KINDS OF TIMBER

are abundant up to the very mouth of the mine, as this would form a most important item in its future working.

The whole of the eastern side of the property is protected by a

SUBSTANTIAL LOG FENCE

and the greater part of the southern side by a

THREE-RAIL SPLIT FENCE.

The whole forms a most splendid property, the value of which it is almost impossible to estimate, as the coal may be traced in every direction upon the land, and the whole of the neighbourhood is known to be coal-bearing, more or less. The present proprietors were singularly fortunate in the quality of the coal discovered, and which the Auctioneers can testify from their own experience gave every satisfaction whilst it was in the market. The only cause for this valuable mine being submitted to public competition is owing to a difference in the partnership, which led to a stoppage of the works just as it begun to yield a handsome remuneration for the large outlay of capital necessarily spent upon the opening of the mine, and they have now agreed to submit it to public auction.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

The mine is in excellent working order, and could be made available for full trade in a week. The auctioneers would also wish to draw the attention of intending purchasers to the most important facts that the Brisbane continuation of the

GREAT SOUTHERN AND WESTERN RAILWAY

will run about 1½ miles from the mine; that the railway is actually in progress at the present time

ABREAST OF THE PROPERTY,

and there is no doubt will be entirely finished within two years from this date. Had no difference arisen between the partners, it was their intention to have run a tramway from the mine to the

BREMER RIVER;

but as the present line of railway intersects the proposed tramway at little less than half the distance, the manifest advantages to the future interests of the mine are palpably evident.

THE ROAD INTO IPSWICH

is first-class, being the main Redbank Plains Road, and a capital High-level Bridge has just been completed over Bundanba Creek, thus removing the last difficulty upon the road into the

TOWN OF IPSWICH.

The Titles to the Property are indisputable, being under the

REAL PROPERTY ACT OF 1861,

and render it a

THOROUGHLY SAFE INVESTMENT

to any capitalist, or company of practical men, wishing to invest in this most remunerative description of property; and, as the question of supply in the article of Coal is daily becoming a most momentous one to the nations of Europe, it would be well to regard the present opportunity as a chance which does not often present itself in the Australian markets.

The Terms of Sale will be Cash—10 per cent. on the fall of the hammer and the remainder within one week upon completion of Title.

For any further particulars address to the auctioneers—HUGHES & CAMERON, Ipswich, Queensland.

Day of Sale: WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 12th, at 11 o'clock, at the IPSWICH LAND EXCHANGE, Nicholas-street, Ipswich, Queensland.

THURSDAY, 27th November.

CHOICE STATION PROPERTY.

WELL-BRED HERD.

SLIEVE-NA-MON RUN.

CLARENCE DISTRICT.

Positive Sale.

T. BAWDEN has been favoured with instructions from G. R. Powell, Esq., to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Prince-street, Grafton, on THURSDAY, 27th November, at 11 o'clock sharp,

That well-known, well-grassed, and watered run,

SLIEVE-NA-MON,

situate in the Clarence District, adjoining the Messrs. Devlin's celebrated Runs, Glenugie and Redbank,

together with

250 HEAD, more or less, of WELL-BRED MIXED CATTLE, in about equal proportions.

This magnificent property is enclosed by natural and artificial boundaries, there being about FOUR-AND-A-HALF MILES first-class fencing, and is capable of carrying at least 1000 head in all seasons,—and for the working of a like number there are first-class yards.

There is also a comfortable STOCKMAN'S HUT. There are about TEN HEAD working HORSES, to be taken at a valuation.

*** To persons of small means, requiring a really first-class run, this affords a rare opportunity.

Sale positive. Terms at sale.

THURSDAY, 27th November.

VALUABLE STATION PROPERTY.

CLARENCE DISTRICT.

THE GLENREAGH STATION, Unstocked.

T. BAWDEN has been favoured with instructions from Messrs. Pearson, Brothers, to submit to public competition, at his Rooms, Prince-street, Grafton, on THURSDAY, 27th November, at 11 o'clock sharp,

THE GLENREAGH STATION (unstocked),

situated in the Clarence District, thirty miles from Grafton, having frontage on south bank of Urara River of TWENTY-FIVE MILES, and on the north bank of EIGHT MILES, and comprising an area of 68,000 ACRES of SOUND HEALTHY GRAZING COUNTRY, consisting of open alluvial flats, forest country, intersected by undulating ridges running into high ranges, forming natural boundaries.

The RUN is abundantly GRASSED and superbly WATERED by clear running streams; the capabilities are never curtailed by drought, and will depasture 3500 CATTLE during any season.

The IMPROVEMENTS, which are of a very extensive and substantial character, stand upon a section of 164 acres of purchased land, adjoining which is another portion of purchased land, containing 32 acres, which has been cleared and farmed, and is at present fenced and well coated with couch grass.

The IMPROVEMENTS comprise a highly-finished DWELLING-HOUSE, built of cedar, containing 9 rooms, garden, well-stocked with choice vines, orange trees, &c., together with every convenience in out-buildings, viz., kitchen, servants' room, store, dairy, laundry, men's hut, detached meat-house, workshop, fowl-house, hide-house, corn-shed, large piggery; stable, nearly new, with fittings complete, containing 4 loose boxes, each 12 x 12; back verandah for carts and drays, &c. In proximity to stable there is a set of substantial horse-yards, nearly new, with slabbed force crush.

Stockyards, equal to working 1000 head cattle, with spay bail, branding race, slaughter yard, covered milking bails, and calf-pen.

The paddocks, which are all enclosed with post and rail fencing, comprise cultivation of four acres of extra rich alluvial soil, cleared and stumped; also, one of ten acres of similar soil, thoroughly cleared of stumps and roots, and at present laid down in English grasses; two-acre paddock, adjoining house, under English grass, enclosed with three-railed pig proof fence; horse and cow paddock of EIGHTY ACRES; ditto of THIRTY-TWO ACRES, under couch grass; large cattle paddock, having THREE MILES FRONTAGE of river on one side and FOUR MILES on the other of richly grassed alluvial flats. This paddock carried over 400 head of grown bullocks all through the late severe winter, and during summer months its capabilities are immense.

Twelve miles from the Head Station are stockyards complete for working the lower end of the Run.

The Run is warranted sound and healthy, and possesses one grand advantage over all others in the Clarence district, that of being totally free of selectors, and from its retired situation from public roads is likely to remain so for many years to come.

*** Further particulars and information can be had on application to the Auctioneer, or to the vendors upon the station.

Sale positive. Terms, liberal.

In the Metropolitan and Coast District Court, holden at Sydney.

No. of Plaint 3264, of 1873.

Between WILLIAM GANNON, plaintiff,
and
CHARLES DE KISSELOFF, defendant.

ON SATURDAY, the 22nd day of November, 1873, at noon, at the Court-house, Macquarie-street, Sydney, pursuant to a writ of FIERI FACIAS, issued in this cause, unless the same be previously satisfied, the REGISTRAR will sell all the right, title, and interest of the abovenamed defendant, in and to the undermentioned mineral lands—namely,

No. 1.—Forty acres, county of Forbes, situate ½-mile east of the Focamingle, Cowra Road.
No. 2.—Forty acres, north of 1st selection.
No. 3.—Forty acres, north of 2nd selection.
No. 4.—Forty acres, north of 3rd selection.
No. 5.—Forty acres, south of 1st selection.
No. 6.—Forty acres, county of Forbes, situate 3 miles from the Focamingle, Cowra Road
No. 7.—Forty acres, north of 6th selection.
No. 8.—Forty acres, north of 7th selection.
No. 9.—Forty acres, north of 8th selection.
No. 10.—Forty acres, north of 9th selection.

Or so much thereof as the said defendant is seized of or entitled to, or which he can either in law or equity assign or dispose of.

Dated this thirtieth day of October, A.D. 1873.

ALEX. C. MAXWELL,
Registrar

In the Metropolitan and Coast District Court, holden at Sydney.

No. of Plaint 2561 of 1873.

Between MARIA LOUISA THERRY, Plaintiff,
and
RICHARD UNIACKE, Defendant.

ON SATURDAY, the 22nd day of November, 1873, at noon, at the Court House, Macquarie-street, Sydney, pursuant to a writ of FIERI FACIAS, issued in this cause, unless the same be previously satisfied, the REGISTRAR will sell

All the right, title, and interest of the above-named defendant of, in, and to those allotments of land at Newtown, 30 and 33, portion of the subdivision of Mrs. Mary Reiby's Estate; and also all the right, title, and interest of the above-named defendant of, in, and to any lands that he may be seised of or entitled to under the Will of the late Mrs. Mary Reiby, or which he can either at law or in Equity assign or dispose of.

Dated this twenty-ninth day of October, A.D. 1873.

ALEX. C. MAXWELL,
Registrar.

In the Supreme Court of New South Wales.
Sheriff's Office, October 24, 1873.

RUSSELL and OTHERS
v.
WESTON,
as Manager of the Currajong Gold Mining Company (Limited).

ON TUESDAY, the 11th November, 1873, at 12 o'clock noon, at Camb's Commercial Hotel, King-street, Sydney (unless the writ of Fi. Fa. herein be previously satisfied), the SHERIFF will cause to be sold by public auction,

The right, title, and interest of the abovenamed Company in and to the lease of certain land of the said Company, situate at Currajong, near Forbes, together with the property of the Company, consisting of—

1 large engine-house
1 eight-horse power engine and boiler
2 batteries, 5 head of stampers each
1 large water-tank (iron)
1 well-pump and gear
2 retorts for retorting gold
1 blacksmith's forge and tools
30 spare fire-bars (new)
6 ditto cams (new)
1 water-cask, 3 tubs
3 enamelled dishes
1 pair stocks, with taps and dies
3 spanners, and 1 screw spanner
2 large stone hammers
1 hand ditto
4 pairs of tongs, some steel, small quantity
1 new boiler chimney, 36 feet long
About 281 lbs. of quicksilver
1 hand-screw, 1 adze, 1 bucket
2 kerosene lamps, 1 grindstone
1 vice and bench
2 oil feeders
1 steam-gauge for engine
4 feet of 2-inch pipe
1 windlass
1 tool-house and tools
And between 300 and 400 tons of quartz at grass.

Terms, cash.

TEMPLE NATHAN,
Under-Sheriff.

DAINTREY AND CHAPMAN,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

In the Metropolitan and Coast District Court, holden at Sydney.

No. 4037 of 1873; No. of Warrant, 637.

JOHN THOMAS HORNS, Plaintiff, against FRANCIS J. THOMAS and WILLIAM SEWARD HERBERT, engaged with others in a Mining Partnership under the name of the Golden Gutter Sluicing Company, Defendants.

ON SATURDAY, the 15th day of November next, at noon, at the Court-house, Macquarie-street, Sydney, pursuant to a writ of fieri facias issued in this cause, unless the same be previously satisfied, the REGISTRAR will sell by public auction,

All the right, title, and interest of the defendants in a gold mining lease, at Summerhill Creek, Ophir, in the colony of New South Wales, containing 20 acres, and the water-race and rights belonging thereto, known as the Golden Gutter Sluicing Company's claim, or so much thereof as the said defendants are seised of, or entitled to, or which one either at law or in equity be assigned or disposed of by the said defendants.

Dated this 18th day of October, A.D. 1873.

A. C. MAXWELL,
Registrar.

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FUNERALS.

FUNERAL.—The Friends of the deceased Mr. JOHN WILLIAMS are respectfully informed that the funeral procession will move from his late residence, the Metropolitan Hotel, King-street, Sydney, THIS DAY, Saturday, at 1 p.m. punctually, proceeding to the Railway Station, and thence by the 2.15 p.m. train to Parramatta. JAMES CURTIS, Undertaker, 59, Hunter-street.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. JOHN TODD, who was for many years employed as Wharfinger for the H. R. N. S. N. Co., are invited to attend a MEETING to be held at BLOW'S, Commercial Hotel, King and Sussex streets, THIS DAY, at 11 a.m. sharp, to make arrangements for the BENEFIT of the Widow and Family. CHARLES FIELD.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. LEONARD WEIDEMAIER are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved SON, Francis; to move from Sydney Infirmary, THIS AFTERNOON, at half-past 2 o'clock, to Necropolis. C. KINSELA and SONS, George-street, opposite Christ Church, and South Head Road.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. WILLIAM SANDS, Baker, are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, 190, Sussex-street, near Market-street, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 2 o'clock, for Balmain Cemetery. J. and G. SHYING and CO., 719, George-street South, and 120, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of Messrs. JAMES, WILLIAM, and DAVID SANDS are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their deceased FATHER, William; to move from 190, Sussex-street, near Market-street, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 2 o'clock, for Balmain Cemetery. J. and G. SHYING and CO.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. EDWARD BAKER are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved DAUGHTER, Mary Ruth; to move from his residence, Uerimbla, Botany, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at half past 3 o'clock, for Botany Cemetery. J. and G. SHYING and CO., 120, Oxford-st., 60, Riley-st.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. WILLIAM GANDON are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late deceased FATHER-IN-LAW, Mr. William Sands, to move from 190, Sussex-street, near Market-street, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 2 o'clock. J. and G. SHYING and CO., 120, Oxford-street; 60, Riley-st.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. WILLIAM H. POWELL are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late deceased FATHER-IN-LAW, Mr. William Sands; to move from 190, Sussex-street, near Market-street, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 2 o'clock. J. and G. SHYING and CO., 719, George-street South.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. CHARLES PENZIG are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late deceased WIFE, Mary; to move from his residence, 198, Lower George-street, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 2 o'clock, for the Necropolis. J. and G. SHYING and CO., 719, George-street South.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. GEORGE LONG are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved SON, James; to move from his residence, 153, Cumberland-street, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 2 o'clock, to Balmain Cemetery. C. KINSELA and SONS, 118, South Head Road.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. ROBERT HENRY GORDON are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late deceased WIFE, Alice; to move from his Residence, Camperdown Road, Camperdown, on SUNDAY AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for the Necropolis. J. and G. SHYING and CO., 719, Geo.-street South.

FUNERALS.—WILLIAM J. DIXON, Undertaker 21, South Head Road, begs to inform his friends and the inhabitants of Strawberry Hill, Redfern, Waterloo, Glebe, Newtown, Ashfield, &c., that he has opened his SECOND BRANCH FUNERAL ESTABLISHMENT, at 819, George-street South, Railway Bridge, and is prepared to conduct Funerals in the most respectable manner, and at the lowest possible prices.
Please note the addresses—
WILLIAM J. DIXON, Undertaker, 819, George-street South, Railway Bridge; and 21, South Head Road, Hyde Park, next Hardy, Brothers.

DR. STEEL AND THE "AUSTRALIAN WITNESS"
TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.
SIR,—Will you permit me to make a remark or two on the statement made by Dr. Steel, in the General Assembly, on Thursday evening last (as published in your report of the proceedings this morning), with reference to the establishment of a periodical specially in connection with the General Assembly. I deeply regret that a minister of the Gospel, whose great duty is to preach truth and do no wrong, should so far misrepresent facts as to leave a wrong impression on the Presbyterian public mind, as Dr. Steel has done in his allusion to the Presbyterian paper now published by me, namely, the AUSTRALIAN WITNESS. Your report says:—"The Rev. Dr. Steel gave as his reasons for such periodical, that while the daily papers reported their proceedings fairly, THERE WAS A PERIODICAL (A PRESBYTERIAN PAPER) WHICH DID NOT." Now, let any unprejudiced and candid reader examine the WITNESS since its commencement—let him look at the reports in this and last week's issue, and judge for himself if the statement is correct. But, further, to show the unfairness of such a statement, I wish to acquaint the Presbyterians of the colony that I have repeatedly requested, through the paper and personally, to be favoured with reports from the various Presbyterian Churches, but, with few exceptions, have never been sent any, though they have been sent to other journals, and so late for us to extract them as destroyed their interest. Besides this, Dr. Steel knows that, for the benefit of Presbyterians specially, I intimated to him on one occasion my readiness to publish his sermon, advertised to be delivered on a particular Sabbath, if he favoured me with it, to which his kindness made no reply. I also intimated to another minister of the Assembly, who seemed to appreciate the proposal, and promised to lay it before the Sydney Presbytery, that if I could depend upon the Assembly promoting the disposal of an extra number of copies to help to defray the expense, I should give a complete report of present meeting; but of this I heard no more. Yet I have been able to give as large a report as any religious weekly could possibly do. It was, then, really too unkind and unfair for Dr. Steel to make such a statement.

I may state that the AUSTRALIAN WITNESS was commenced, and is published, at a great cost to myself, in the interest of our common Presbyterianism in this land, without being the organ of any particular branch of the Church, and it has studiously been conducted in so liberal a manner, and without meddling with the particular views of the different bodies, that we have won extensive approbation, and it is a pity that any endeavour should be made to raise a prejudice so undeservedly against it.
I am, Sir, yours, &c.,
JOHN LUTTON,
Publisher and Proprietor of the AUSTRALIAN WITNESS.
Sydney, October 7.

EDUCATIONAL.

A CARD.—Persons of any age may receive LESSONS in WRITING, BOOKKEEPING, &c., at any hour, PRIVATELY or in Class; improvement guaranteed in FOUR lessons or money returned. Mr. and Mrs. NORRIS, Sydney Writing Institute, 241, Castlereagh-st., near Market-st. Established 1861. Highest testimonials.

VOCAL MUSIC.—TONIC SOL-FA METHOD.—EVENING CLASSES conducted by Mr. JAMES C. FISHER, Singing Master to the Council of Education. An Elementary Class will be opened on TUESDAY EVENING, November 11, in the Pitt-street Public School Room (next to Congregational Church), with an Introduction Lecture on the Tonic Sol-fa Method. To commence at 8 precisely.
Quarterly Subscription, five shillings in advance.

MR. W. STANLEY, Professor of Music, is prepared to receive pupils for Pianoforte and Singing, &c., at his residence, St. John's Road, Glebe.

PIANOFORTE Tuition.—A young Lady is desirous of obtaining a few pupils. Terms mod. M., HERALD.

MR. WATSON, Royal Academician, visits South Head, Petersham, Norwood, Stanmore, Newtown, Mondays and Thursdays; Balmain (7 a.m.), Tuesdays and Fridays; Woollahra, Hunter's Hill and Gladesville, Wednesdays and Saturdays; St. Peter's-terrace.

R. H. L. WATSON, R.A.M. (composer of "Silent Grief"), Bourke-street, William-street.

MADAME E. WALLACE BUSHELLE'S Class for Gentlemen only, Mondays, 8 p.m. 189, William-st.

MADAME E. WALLACE BUSHELLE'S Class for Ladies only, Wednesdays, 4 p.m. 189, William-st.

MR. H. GRAHAM, Professor of Music, Teacher of the Violin and Pianoforte. 84, Stanley-street.

MADAME E. WALLACE BUSHELLE (Sister of the late eminent composer, Vincent Wallace), PROFESSOR OF SINGING.

TERMS PER QUARTER:
(In advance.)

Two lessons a week (half an hour each)	£5	5	0
One lesson ditto (half an hour)	3	3	0
Class pupils (one hour a week)	1	1	0

189, William-street, Woolloomooloo.

MRS. GORDON, Athol House, Macquarie-street, has vacancies for a few PUPILS. References to parents of pupils—Dr. Moffitt, and A. Brown, Esq., Cooerwull, Bowenfels; also, Rev. Dr. Steel.

PIANOFORTE THOROUGHLY TAUGHT BY A LADY.—Two lessons a week. Terms, seven shillings a month in advance. Cards removed from Clarke's to Reading's, musicsellers, George-street.

SHORTHAND.—Instruction in Pitman's System of Phonography given by H. GRAHAM, 84, Stanley-st.

MISCELLANEOUS.

GOLD MINERS.—£100, make a fortune, refining tailings, sand, and rubbish; new process. W., HERALD.

EMBOSSING-PRESS for SALE, quite new, suitable for embossing name, &c., on meat tins, and similar purposes. Price £15. 166, Pitt-street.

TO PUBLICANS.—The undersigned, having disposed of several houses during the past week, now has bona fide customers for a few really good houses in central positions in the city and suburbs.
CHANDLER and CO., Auctioneers and Commission Agents, 168, Pitt-street, near King-street.

OWL PIGEONS.—First-class pair imported Silver Owls for SALE. Fletcher, George-street Markets.

PROPERTIES Wanted in TOWN and COUNTRY. HENRY W. STATHAM, Mort's-buildings.

FURNITURE Bought and Sold in any quantity. MORRIS ASHER, Mart, Pitt and Park streets.

FURNITURE.—Whole houses of furniture bought at the highest price. M. ASHER, Pitt and Park sts.

FOR SALE.—Goldfinches and Brown Linnets, or Exchanged for Fowls. 7, Samuel-street, Surry Hills.

FOR SALE, Patent MANGLE. Mrs. SMITH, Botany Road, near Raglan-street.

FOR SALE, a new TENT, cheap, 12 x 9. 261, Sussex-street, near Bathurst-street.

FOR SALE, cheap, a first-class BILLIARD TABLE by Thurston. Bradford's Freemasons' Hotel.

NEW Process Refining COPPER, from ores; no slags; rare copper; cost £150. W. W., HERALD.

DOGS.—Wanted, to SELL, an Imported Isle of Skye TERRIER and two SLUTS. 24, Lansdown-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, CONSIGNEE for O.V. cases Vitriol, per Loch Urr, from Glasgow. Mason, Bros., agents.

WANTED, Old BRASS and Composition Nails. E. Crump, brassfounder, off 99, Bathurst-street.

WANTED, by a cash purchaser, respectable HOTEL, in city, doing good bar trade. Pub., HERALD Office.

WANTED to buy Furniture, new or second-hand; Pictures, &c. H. Moon, City Auction Rooms.

WANTED to buy 100 Williams, 100 Peak Downs, 200 Hickson's Shares. J. B. North, Mort's-passage.

WANTED to purchase COTTAGE, five minutes' walk from Bridge-street. Address B. J., HERALD.

WANTED, a CEDAR COUNTER, from 9 to 12 feet long. H. L. Summerfield, tailor, 283, Pitt-street.

WANTED known, all descriptions of sewing machines cleaned and repaired. Miller, 300, Castlereagh-st.

TANKS. Iron Tanks, proved watertight, with brass taps, cemented if required. W. Robison, 67, Sussex-st.

OLD COPPER, Brass, and Lead, wanted. W. Robison, 67, Sussex-st., coppersmith and brass founder.

SELLING OFF, SELLING OFF.—PREMISES to LET.—Removing to new Premises, 3 doors lower down. Extraordinary Bargains. A large assortment of Fancy and other Goods must be cleared out, for one week. Only note the address—
EASTWAY, BROTHERS, 425, George-street.

FISHING TACKLE, Fishing Tackle, Fishing Tackle wholesale and retail.—Eastway's patent thread fishing lines, our own make, the strongest lines made, at 6d, 1s, 1s 6d, 2s, 2s 6d, 3s, 4s 6d each.
Give the 6d and 1s ones a trial.
Plaited silk lines, will not twist or kink, and very strong. Also, a large stock of twisted silk lines, and every description of fishing tackle. Eastway, Brothers, 425, Geo.-st.

BAIT.—FISHING BAIT, in tins, 6d, 1s, 1s 6d each; sea and river fishing. Eastway, Brothers, 425, Geo.-st.

PARTIES going out fishing on Monday can procure Lines ready for use; Bait in tins. Eastway, Brothers.

TO SODAWATER MANUFACTURERS.—Wanted, in working order, an Aerating MACHINE. Apply A. B., Post Office.

TO LANDLORDS.—Wanted to purchase, on easy terms, HOUSE PROPERTY; say £50 to £100; residue as a rental; applications being numerous. E. Ramsay, House Agent, Bank-chambers.

WANTED, second-hand LATHE BED. State price. Grocott, 275, Castlereagh-street.

PRINCE OF WALES' BIRTHDAY.—Croquet, Croquet, best makers, at Lemaire's Bazaar, opp. Markets.

REQUIRED to Rent or Purchase, a HOUSE, of 6 good rooms, kitchen, and servant's room, with ground sufficient for a small garden, in a good neighbourhood convenient to Sydney. Address House, 335, Liverpool-street, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, to DISPOSE of a good PUBLIC HOUSE, doing a good business; income about £25 to £30 per week; rent, low. Apply by letter, to S. P., HERALD Office.

WANTED, a second-hand Willcox and Gibbs' treadle SEWING-MACHINE, in good order. Address, stating terms, Madame Chalk, Mount-street, St. Leonards.

WANTED known, NAILS of all sizes cheaper than ever, 3d and 4d per lb.; Saws made, all sizes, hammered, sharpened, set, and repaired; keys made and fitted to lock from 6d. R. Milham and Sons, 727, George-st.

WANTED known, Ornamenting Pipes, Paste-cutters, Moulds, Tart Pans, Oven Dishes, Nursery and Spirit Lamps, Tinware, stamped Milk Dishes, wholesale and retail. T. Cale, 706, George-street, near Goulburn-street.

WANTED to buy Left-off CLOTHING of all kinds, the highest price given; also new and second-hand Clothing of every description sold cheap on the premises, by J. Murphy, General Dealer and Pawnbroker, corner of Kent and Liverpool streets, and late of No. 107, Bathurst-street.

WANTED known, that the Iron SAFE of Mr. Himmelhoch, pawnbroker, was made by me, and just completed order for strong room DOORS for the Bank of New Zealand.
Geo. Dyke, 203, Castlereagh-street.
P.S.—CHALLENGE still open for Mr. Wearne.

WANTED to purchase, for cash, a freehold piece of LAND with 40 feet of frontage, and 150 depth; price not to exceed £2 per foot; the neighbourhood of South Head Road, Woolloomooloo, or Balmain preferred. Apply, with all particulars, to A. H. H., HERALD Office.

WANTED, to RENT, a snug HOTEL, furnished, in a central position. The party wishing to rent will be in a position to command a good and respectable business. For particulars apply to R. Campbell and Sons, 410, George-street.

PROFESSIONS, TRADES, ETC.

A WHOLESALE Drapery Warehouse requires a competent ENTERING CLERK; must be experienced in the duties; none other need apply. Box 319, Post Office. Open for a week. November 8, 1873.

A GENTLEMAN of business habits, with capital, would be willing to enter into negotiation with a respectable and well-known mercantile firm in Sydney, with a view to PARTNERSHIP. Apply, by letter, M. B., care of Prince, Ogg, and Co., George-street.

SYDNEY NEW SYNAGOGUE, Macquarie-street.—Required for the above congregation, a duly qualified gentleman, to act as MINISTER and MOHEL; he must be competent to lecture, and if able to impart an Hebrew education, his emoluments from that source alone would be considerable. Applications, with testimonials, will be received up to the 1st December by the undersigned, who will give any information required. Lewis Lipman, secretary.

BOOK-KEEPER.—Wanted, a thoroughly competent BOOK-KEEPER, for a Sydney commercial house, capable of taking entire charge of office and conducting the correspondence; age, 30 to 40 years; salary, £300 per annum. Apply, by letter only, addressed Bookkeeper, care of Messrs. Holdsworth and Brown, Solicitors, Pitt-street.

DRESSMAKING. IMPROVERS and Apprentices wanted. Mrs. R beon, 102, Market-street.

DRESSMAKING.—Required, first-class Body HANDS and Improvers. 200, Dowling-st., Wlm'lo.

IMPROVERS and Apprentices wanted, to the mantle and dressmaking. M. J. Murphy, 219-251, Pitt-street.

LAW.—Wanted, competent Managing CLERK, solicitor's office, Sydney. Scripta, Box 325, G. P. O.

MILLINERY.—Vacancies for Improvers and Apprentices. Miss Thynne, 100, King-street.

MILLINERY.—APPRENTICES wanted. J. D. Howell, 684, George-street.

MEDICAL.—A MEDICAL OFFICER is wanted for the Forbes District Hospital. No medical practitioner within 45 miles, and the estimated value of practice is £800 per annum.
Hospital salary, £150 per annum. Officer to find all necessary surgical instruments and medicines.
Applications to be addressed to
Henry H. Hunt, honorary secretary.

EXPERIENCED SALESWOMAN wanted. Liberal salary. Fancy Department. E. Way, draper, Pitt-st.

SALESWOMAN wanted for the fancy department. E. Way, draper, 267, Pitt-street.

TO DRAPERS.—Wanted, a competent HAND; also, a Junior. Butler and Son, 106, William-street.

TO PARENTS.—Wanted, a well educated Youth as an APPRENTICE to a Chemist and Druggist. Premium required. E. Row and Co., Pitt-street.

TO MILLERS.—A thorough practical Man, of 20 years' experience, wishes an ENGAGEMENT as Manager or Foreman; is a good stone-dresser; highest references and security given. Ceres, HERALD Office.

TO HARNESS MAKERS.—Wanted, a LAD to stitch. 173, York-street, 10 a.m.

TO CARPENTERS.—Wanted, 2 Carpenters. T. Lane, builder, Redfern; or Wellington-st., Woollahra.

THERE is a good opening in a town near Sydney for a competent Music and Drawing TEACHER willing to commence a class. S. G., HERALD Office.

TAILORESSES wanted. Work given out. Robinson and Son, George-street.

WANTED, good HORSESHOERS, at Berwick's Harris-street. Single men preferred.

WANTED, two CABINETMAKERS and one POLISHER. Apply Archibald Hay, Newcastle.

WANTED, a COMPOSITOR, for the country. 8, Bridge-street.

WANTED, a first-class Bread BAKER; sober and good workman. Apply W. Arnott, Newcastle.

WANTED, good HORSESHOER, also a Hammerman. D. M Guire, Queen's-place.

WANTED, a Furniture POLISHER. Apply Sung Chong, 163, George-street.

WANTED, LEARNERS for Tailoring. No. 11, Steam Mill-street, off Bathurst-st. Wage given.

WANTED, a CARPENTER. Apply 12 o'clock, Queen's Theatre, York-street.

WANTED, two indoor APPRENTICES to millinery and dressmaking. Apply at 40, Botany Road. Terms moderate; references expected and given. Every branch of the business taught.

WANTED, respectable young man, as GENERAL ASSISTANT in office; knowledge of bookkeeping indispensable. Apply, by letter only, stating salary required, Long and Co., 287, George-street.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

AS Nursery GOVERNESS.—A young Lady, 18; teach English and music. Bathurst preferred. M., HERALD.

A YOUNG MAN, used to horses, wants a SITUATION. Good reference. Ollis, 49, William-street.

A YOUNG LADY is desirous of a SITUATION as Assistant in a private school. Address J. W., Temperance Hall, Pitt-street.

TRAVELLER, from New Zealand, wishes Engagement. Salary or commission. Address Commercial, HERALD.

AS HOUSEKEEPER or GOVERNESS.—Young widow, educated, domesticated, dressmaker, &c. (one little girl); 30s monthly; Protestant. 397, Bourke-street, Surry Hills.

STEWARDESS seeks ENGAGEMENT; good sailor. E. Pierce, William-street. Piano for Sale.

THE Undersigned is open for an ENGAGEMENT as Commercial Traveller, Storekeeper, or for any situation in which a general commercial experience is required; unexceptionable business references. FRANK B. TREATT, 108, Pitt-street, Sydney.

TO SQUATTERS about to invest in Queensland or New South Wales. A gentleman who for many years has managed some, and is personally acquainted with many of the best stations in the above colonies, offers his services as MANAGER or INSPECTOR. References as to character and ability, the best that can be given or desired. Address M. M. M., General Post Office, Sydney.

WANTED, SITUATION, Bookkeeper, Timekeeper, otherwise useful. L., Mr. Page, 525, Geo.-st. S.

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